IN A PLACE WITH SO MANY SCATTERED LEAVES..
...AH, HERE YOU ARE.
NEVERMIND THAT, COME HERE. ♪
WA...!?
N... I WONDER, IS THE TOY BROKEN...?
...HA?
SENPAI...? UM... WHAT ARE WE DOING BEHIND THE SCHOOL...
N...? AH...
WAI- SENPAI!? ...N!?
IT'S OKAY, IT'S OKAY. RIGHT NOW, I'LL MAKE THIS TOY FEEL ECSTACY. ♪

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黒柾志西
第8話: An Ordinary Moment
IT'S BEEN A WEEK SINCE THE INCIDENT ON THE ROOF.
SUMMER HAS JUST STARTED.
NO NEW ENEMIES HAVE APPEARED SINCE THEN.
JUST NOW, THE FIRST SWIMMING CLASS OF THE YEAR IS TAKING PLACE.
FUU...

WA!?
AH, GEEZ, I CAN'T TAKE OFF THE WHOLE THING AT ONCE...
BEING IN A SLUGGISH GROUP IS TROUBLE-SOME
SATO-CHAN...
THE TWO SLOWEST ARE..
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HEY YOU! DON'T TAKE OFF YOUR SWIM CAP!
OW!?
TWO SLOW-EST..
YEAH, BUT ATLEAST THE POOL IS FI-NALLY OPEN.
THAT'S RIGHT, I'M REALLY HAPPY I EVEN WEAR MY BATHING SUIT AROUND THE HOUSE.
BY THE WAY, WHERE'S KIRIN?
AH... UM...
OVER THERE.. WATCHING FROM THE SHADOWS...
OH.. SHE'S NOT GOING TO SWIM?
ERR...

AHH? POOL?
SWIM IN WATER FULL OF JUICE EXCRETED BY HUMANS? NO THANKS!!
YEAH...
THAT KID REALLY IS WEIRD SOMETIMES...
WATCHING AND ACTING CALM EVEN WHEN WEARING A BATHING SUIT
.....
YEAH... SHE'S ALWAYS IN A BAD MOOD...
I'M GONNA GO OVER FOR A SECOND..
...'KAY.

HEY, KIRIN,
CAN I... SIT HERE?
IF YOU'RE FINE WITH SQUATTING, I DON'T CARE.
UWA...
HMPH, MAYBE YOU COULD SWIM FASTER IF YOUR BREASTS AND BUTT WEREN'T GIVING YOU SO MUCH WATER RESISTANCE.
U...
"LONELY"
HEY... MAYBE COULD TEACH ME A LITTLE ABOUT SWIMMING...

WHY...
AH!
.....
...KIRIN?
WHY ARE YOU TELLING ME..?
KI-KIRI... I GOT IT SO LET ME GO...!!
WELL, IN MY VILLAGE, THE ONLY ONE FASTER THAN ME IS A KAPPA NAMED YUKIE-SAN...
WHAT WAS THAT? I CAN'T UNDERSTAND SOME JAPANESE...
HOME-SICK?
AH.. AHHHHH.. COULD IT BE, KIRIN IS...
HUMANS ARE SO STUPID AND SMELLY...
WHY DO I HAVE TO SWIM IN A PLACE LIKE THIS INSTEAD OF A STREAM...

YORIKO...
?
UMM... YOU MISS YOUR VILLAGE AND YEARN TO RETURN TO IT... DO YOU FEEL LIKE THAT?
AH, IT'S YOU!
I'D ONLY GET IRRITATED OVER SOMETHING LIKE THAT IF I WAS A CHILD. THERE'S NO WAY YOU'RE SERIOUS...
EH? AH, THAT IS...!?
DON'T YOU AGREE?
...EH?
IT'S STRETCHING...

BESIDES, THIS PLACE...
HYA!?
YORI, PLAYING IN THE WATER?
AH, SHINO-CHAN...
NOW THAT I GOT THE KABUTO BEETLE OFF YOU, WHAT ARE YOU DOING!?

THAT'S RIGHT KIRIN WAS...
AH...
THE ONLY REASON I'M HERE...
IS BECAUSE OF...
SO MANY HUMANS GATHERED...
IT MAKES ME FEEL SICK.
AH... THIS IS...
YORIKO, DID YOU PUT A SEAL ON IT TO KEEP IT FROM BITING YOU?
SO PRETTY AND WHITE.
NII-SAN'S...
WOW! EVERY-ONE!
LAY DOWN, LAY DOWN. ♪
THAT RUMOR ABOUT THE KITTEN..?

THIS IS BAD...
I ONLY LIKE IT WHEN YORI TOUCHES ME!
NYAAAAAAAA!!
WA!?
SHINO-CHA...!?
OH MY, IT'S LIN-HAPPY?
NYA!
WAI... SHINO-CHA...!?

WHAT ARE YOU GUYS PLAYING WITH...
HEY, WE'RE STILL IN THE MIDDLE OF CLASS!

HEY, WHAT'RE YOU GUYS DOING!!
AH, CRAP!

IF SENSEI FINDS NEKO-CHAN, WE'LL BE IN TROUBLE!
WAAAP
TURN AROUND, YORIKO!

SENSEI, YORIKO ISN'T FEELING WELL, SO I'LL ESCORT HER TO THE INFIRMARY.
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...EH? AH, YEAH.. PLEASE DO...?

EH... UM...?
HUH? SOMETHING IS COMING OUT THE BACK...
...!?
SENSEI!!!
Y-Y-YES!? WHAT IS IT!?
SENSEI, WHAT DO YOU THINK ABOUT WEARING MATCHING SWIMSUITS!?
EH? WHAT?
I THINK IT'S A GOOD IDEA, DON'T YOU!?
ARE YOU OKAY?
THANK GOOD-NESS

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UM, KIRI...
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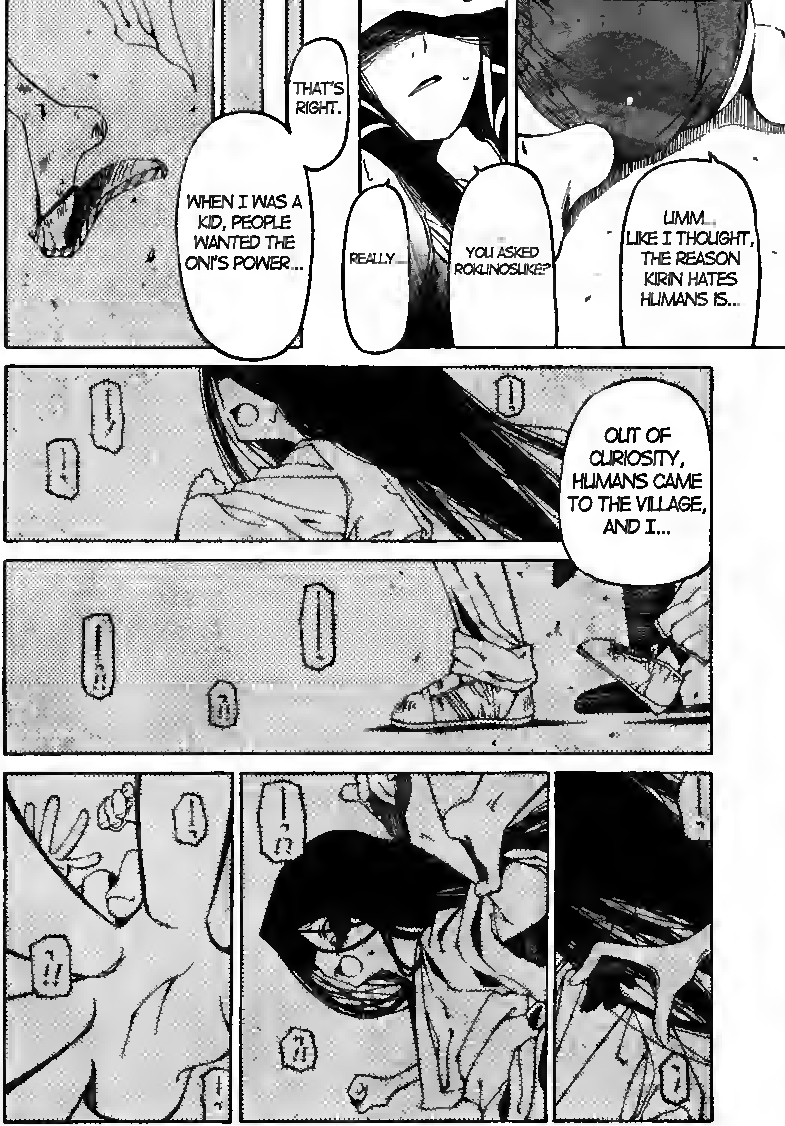
THE ROOF...?
HEY, KIRI...
OW!?

FU...
... KIRIN?
LULU... THAT WAS CRUEL, KIRIN...
NO...
YOUR FACE LOOKS REALLY BLUE. ARE YOU OKAY?
GEEZ... AKUMA AND HUMANS MAKE ME SICK...!!
SINCE THAT PUNY AKUMA IS GONE, THERE WON'T BE ANY MORE COMING EATING IS JUST A GAME TO THEM..
I FEEL BAD WHENEVER I'M AROUND A LOT OF HUMANS FOR TOO LONG...


UMM... LIKE I THOUGHT, THE REASON KIRIN HATES HUMANS IS...
YOU ASKED ROKUNOSUKE?
REALLY...
THAT'S RIGHT.
WHEN I WAS A KID, PEOPLE WANTED THE ONI'S POWER...
OUT OF CURIOSITY, HUMANS CAME TO THE VILLAGE, AND I...

I WAS... AT THAT TIME!
AT THAT TIME..
KIRIN... YOU DON'T...
IN A MANURE SINK!!
... MANURE SINK?
A MANURE SINK!!

AS I CRAWLED OUT, I FELT LIKE I WANTED TO DIE
It was so deep... I tried to move but I just kept sinking. I couldn't get it off my kimono so I thought I'd have to get another one...
THEN THAT HUMAN KID SAID SOME-THING TO ME
MAYBE SHE DOES THE MEAN...
AH!
A SHIT ON!!
I'LL...

I'LL NEVER FORGIVE HUMANS!!!
NYA!?
HYA!?
HYAAAAAAA!!

KIRI...
YEAH, THAT'S RIGHT...

ERR...

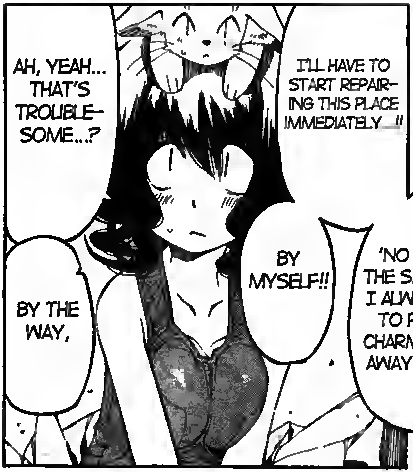
HUH...?
SUCH AN UPROAR BUT IT'S STILL SO QUIET... DID NOBODY NOTICE IT...?

MOREOVER! THAT KID!! SHE MADE MUD DANGO AND STARTED A FAD CALLED 'SHIT ONIGOKKO'!!!
WELL, YEAH... I CAN KIND OF UNDERSTAND THE REASON FOR YOUR MISANTHROPY.
BUT WHAT YOU JUST DID...

I'LL HAVE TO RECORD THE 'MEAT P SPECIAL' BECAUSE OF THIS.

AH...

EH...?
BUT BECAUSE OF THAT, I'LL MISS THE SHOWDOWN BETWEEN SHIROGUCHI AND GALSONE.
ROKUNO-SUKE-KUN...?


AH, YEAH... THAT'S TROUBLESOME...?
I'LL HAVE TO START REPAIRING THIS PLACE IMMEDIATELY...!!
BY THE WAY,
BY MYSELF!!
'NO MATTER THE SITUATION', I ALWAYS HAVE TO PUT UP A CHARM TO KEEP AWAY HUMANS!
ALSO, EVER SINCE THIS MORNING, I'VE HAD TO TALK TO THAT SCARY INUKAWA JUNJI AND LISTEN TO HIS JOKES.

LAST WEEK, THE DESTRUCTION YOU CAUSED HERE,
EH, AH...? IT TOOK YOU A WHOLE WEEK...!?
THIS MORNING, FINALLY! I HAD FINISHED REPAIRING IT...
YOU COULD SAY, IT WAS REALLY BROKEN DOWN...
BUT... THE FACT OF THE MATTER IS, YOU DID YOUR BEST AGAINST THAT PERSON...
BUT!
UM...
EH?
YOU REMEMBERED...
YORIKO!
ARE YOU COMING OR NOT?
LOOK, JUST HURRY UP!
HYA!? WAIT, KIRIN!?
ERR, ROKUNOSUKE-KU, HYAAAAAA!?
.....
ROKUNOSUKE, AFTER THIS, GET OUR UNIFORMS FOR US
YEAH, YEAH...

My beloved village
LILILI...
MY BATHING SUIT IS ALL STRETCHED OUT...
LILILI...
HURRY AND CATCH UP OR I'LL LEAVE YOU BEHIND.
...
HEY, WHERE ARE WE GOING...?
MY HOME.
WE DIDN'T EVEN CHANGE CLOTHES...

WELL, THIS SPACE IS ONLY A TEMPORARY RESIDENCE, BUT...
WHAT? YOUKAI CAN CREATE AN ATTIC ANYWHERE, THIS PLACE SHOULD BE NO EXCEPTION, RIGHT?
TH-THAT'S NOT WHAT I MEAN...!
RIGHT, HOME...
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EH, HOME!?
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THAT'S WHAT I SAID, RIGHT?
NEXT DOOR... HUH?
NEXT DOOR.
WHAT KIND OF PLACE DO YOU LIVE? AN APART-MENT?
HMPH, YOU THINK I'D LOSE TO A HUMAN GIRL IN DOING HOUSE CHORES?
WA... THAT'S IN-CREDIBLE...
SOMEHOW... I THOUGHT KIRIN'S LIFE STYLE WOULD BE MORE...

THE OLD SCHOOL BUILDING...?
THIS PLACE IS...
NII-SAN, I'M HOME.
EH, KORYUU-KUN?

AH...
THANK YOU...
DRINK IT
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I'VE TRIED TO DO IT AT MY PLACE BUT..
THERE'S TATAMI SPREAD OUT IN THE CLASS-ROOM.
I GUESS YOU COULD SAY THAT IT'S A BIT TOO CRAMPED TO DO...
WELL...

WE'RE GOING TO THE VILLAGE, YORIKO.
...EH?

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Senpa
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THAT WAS DELICIOUS...
YEAH...
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I wonder if those young ladies can entertain me?
Now then,

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VILLAGE...
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私に兄さん
KIRIN'S... HOME TOWN?
THAT'S RIGHT.
...WHY SO SUDDENLY?
WHY...?

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第9話：Konyun's Disaster
SHOULDN'T I WANT TO RETURN THERE?
Ah... Right...

BUT NOW... THEY TOLD US TO JUST WAIT HERE FOR INSTRUCTIONS...
AFTER ALL, THE REASON I CAME HERE WAS TO FIND THE SUCCESSOR AND TAKE THEM HOME WITH ME...
I THINK IT'S REASONABLE.
EVEN MY PATIENCE HAS IT'S LIMIT.
THANK YOU, NII-SAN.
TH... THANK YOU!
I DON'T KNOW WHY WE NEED TO DO THAT, BUT...
I WANT TO RETURN HOME ONCE MORE
N!

WA...
THAT'S NICE.
TH... THAT IS, HE ALWAYS...
!?
EH...
M... ME TOO?
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... W-WELL THEN, ERR...
AH...

NBU!?
STINGY
DIDN'T I TELL YOU NII-SAN WILL GET HURT IF YOU TOUCH HIM WITH YOUR STINKING HANDS?
.....

DID YOU SAY SOMETHING?
...JUST NOW,
THE THING IS, YOU LET KORYUU-KUN FEED YOU...
KIRIN...
IT'S LIKE... YOU DON'T WANT TO LOSE YOUR SPECIAL ONII-CHAN...
I THINK..
THAT'S NICE.
YOU'RE SAYING YOU WANT TO UNDERSTAND IT...
I GOT IT, YORIKO.
...KIRIN...?

THEN, RIGHT NOW...
I'LL GRANT YOUR REQUEST.
!?
WHY DID YOU DODGE...
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.....

EVEN AN ADULT WOULD BE ENVIOUS OF A CHEST THAT BIG...
AH...
WHA...
...EH, ROCK?
OF COURSE!

KIRIN, YOU WERE SERIOUSLY TRYING TO KILL ME, RIGHT?
IF YOU HIT ME, THAT REALLY MIGHT HAVE HAPPENED...
WITH THIS, WE'LL BE EVEN...
IT'S NOT EVEN! THE SWIMSUITS AREN'T THE SAME!
KIRIN'S SWIMSUIT ISN'T TORN AT ALL!
THIS IS MY FAVORITE PET! BECAUSE NII-SAN IS SO CUTE...
ENOUGH! LET KORYUU-KUN BE FREE!
AHH, GEEZ!
SHUT UP! YOU!
DON'T START ACTING CHEEKY JUST BECAUSE YOUR CHEST IS BIG!
TH-THAT HAS NOTHING TO DO WITH IT!
HYAAA!? WH-WHAT ARE YOU DOING!?
NO, WAI- AH...!?
ANYWAY, DON'T TOUCH NII-SAN!

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EH? AH, COULD IT BE... AKUMA!?
A TRAP...? SOMEBODY BROKE INTO THIS OLD SCHOOL BUILDING...
NO...
MU!?
NO, DON'T PULL THERE!
CALM DOWN, YORIKO...
WHEN I RETURN, WE'LL FINISH THIS, OKAY?
HOLD ON, I'LL CHECK TO SEE WHAT IT IS, SO STAY HERE.
THIS COULD ONLY MEAN A HUMAN...

EH...?
WHAT? WHY ARE YOU MAKING A SCARED FACE LIKE THAT?
REALLY, IF YOU JUST CRY AND APOLOGIZE, I'LL FORGIVE YOU...
KIRIN! BEHIND YOU!!
!?

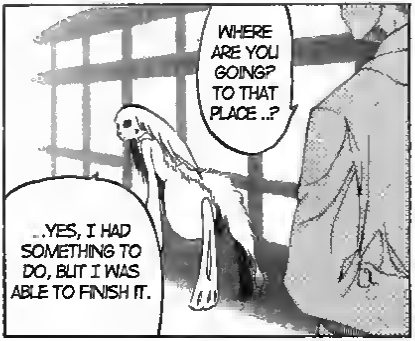
ARE YOU... OKAY...AH!?
KIRIN!?
WHAT, THAT HUMAN? IS THAT REALLY...!?
...YORIKO? WHY ARE YOU JUST STANDING THERE?
EH, AH, THAT IS...
ACTUALLY... IT JUST LOOKS LIKE A HUMAN...
ERR... KIRIN... YOUR BUTT...
NII-SAN!!
THAT HUMAN IS ACTING STRANGE, SO IT'S MAKING ME WORRY...
WHATEVER, JUST GET AWAY.

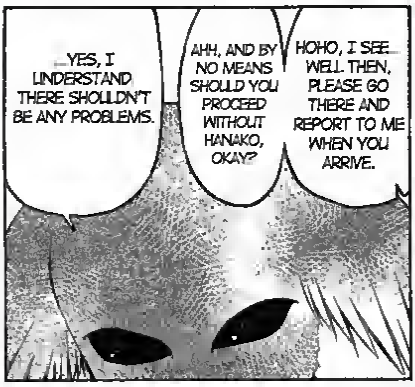
LIKE ALWAYS, I'M SORRY...
I'LL HAVE TO BORROW IT AGAIN...

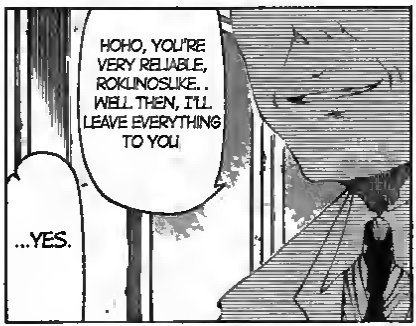
I'LL RETURN IT SOON, NII-SAN.
AH, WHA- WAWA!?
NOW THEN... WHAT ON EARTH IS THIS GUY...? IT ISN'T AN AKUMA BUT IT DOESN'T SEEM TO BE HUMAN EITHER.
WA!?
A-ARE YOU OKAY, KORYUU-KUN...!?
I'LL HAVE TO GET RID OF HIM QUICKLY, BUT IF IT'S A HUMAN...

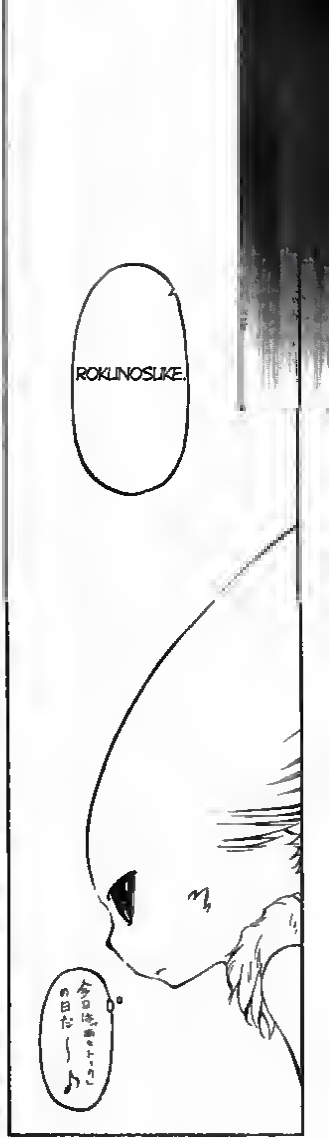
YOU...
...!?
THIS IS...!!
EH, Y-YES!?
YORIKO!!

I FOUND YOU...
...!?
I NEVER THOUGHT I'D BE FOUND OUT...
I WANTED TO TEST THE NEW TOY, BUT...
HUH, THERE'S ANOTHER PERSON THERE...
IS IT OKAY TO GET RID OF IT? WELL THEN, I'LL HAVE HIM DE-STROY THE TOY.
THIS IS BAD...RIGHT? BUT I'M STILL NOT DONE PLAYING...
THIS IS THE REPORT. ?


WHERE ARE YOU GOING? TO THAT PLACE ..?
..YES, I HAD SOMETHING TO DO, BUT I WAS ABLE TO FINISH IT.


HOHO, I SEE... WELL. THEN, PLEASE GO THERE AND REPORT TO ME WHEN YOU ARRIVE.
AHH, AND BY NO MEANS SHOULD YOU PROCEED WITHOUT HANAKO, OKAY?
...YES, I UNDERSTAND THERE SHOULDN'T BE ANY PROBLEMS.


HOHO, YOU'RE VERY RELIABLE, ROKUNOSUKE.. WELL THEN, I'LL LEAVE EVERYTHING TO YOU.
...YES.


ROKUNOSUKE.
今日は、晴れとうふの日だ～♪

VILLAGE
...
SOMEHOW, I'M NOT VERY HAPPY...
.....
TA, TAAAA~!

OW!?
DO IT SERIOUSLY!
EWA!?
TO SAVE HIM, YOUR POWER IS NEEDED.
GOT IT? THAT HUMAN HAS GOBLIN BLOOD AND IT'S CHANGING HIM.
AS IT IS, IN A FEW MINUTES, HE'LL TURN INTO ASHES.
IF YOU DON'T KNOW HOW TO USE IT, YOU FAIL. IF YOU KNOW HOW, THEN USE IT!
... Y-YEAH...

OKAY...
.....
HONESTLY... THIS IS SO TROUBLESOME!
YOU TOO... I'M SORRY, FIRST YEAR STUDENT.
YOU'LL BE SAFE SOON.
I'M SORRY, KIRIN...

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THANK GOODNESS...
SOMEHOW, YOU'VE BEEN SAVED.
HEY KIRIN, I...
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...KIRIN?
WHAT WERE WE ATTACKED BY THIS TIME...

THIS WHOLE THING IS JUST BECOMING EVEN MORE ANNOYING...
I'M WORRIED THAT THIS COULD HAVE SOMETHING TO DO WITH THAT AKUMA'S OLDER BROTHER...
USUALLY WHEN THE BLOOD HAS DETERIORATED TO THAT POINT, HUMANS WOULD BE BEYOND HELP...
YORIKO IS JUST AS BIG AND USELESS AS USUAL...
SO CONCEITED JUST BECAUSE OF THOSE BIG THINGS...
DOES THAT THING OVER THERE EVEN FEEL PAIN WHEN IT GETS HURT?
KIRIN...!!
WHAT? I'M THINKING RIGHT NOW.
KORYUU-KUN IS!!
EH...!?
DID YOU KNOW THAT KID IS ACTING WEIRD?
KIRI-N? IT LOOKS LIKE SHE'S IMMERSED IN VARIOUS THOUGHTS...
YORI...
?
N?
MY AFTERNOON NAP IS REALLY IMPORTANT, YOU KNOW? HOWEVER...
AH, SHINO-CHAN! I WAS JUST IN DANGER, YOU KNOW?

虚颯の体に異変か!? そして敵の狙いは灯ったい?

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AH, YEAH, SHE WENT INTO THAT ROOM AWHILE AGO...
ERR, DID YOU SEE JUST NOW!?
IT'S OKAY SEEING YORIKO-SAN IS THE SAME AS SEEING A COW NAKED, SO YOU DON'T NEED TO BE EMBARRASSED, ALRIGHT?
AHH, I SEE... IS THAT...
...SO?
UMM... IT SEEMS LIKE YOU JUST SAID SOMETHING REALLY CRUEL...
IS KIRIN-SAN IN THAT ROOM!?
EH!?

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KIRIN!?
ERR...
WHAT'S KORYUU-KUN'S CONDITION?
KIRIN-SAN.
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...EH?
AFTER THIS, WE'RE GOING TO THE VILLAGE.

HIS CONDITION WILL ONLY PERSIST IF HE STAYS HERE. YOU'LL BE COMING TOO
IF YOU HAVE ANY QUES-TIONS, ASK ROKUNOSUKE.
AH... THEN WE SHOULD MAKE PREPARATIONS FIRST..
THERE'S NO TIME.
IT'S TIME.
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WE'LL BE...
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AH, IT'S YORIKO.
OH?
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YORIKO...?
I'LL HAVE TO GET MY PHONE SO I CAN CALL MOM...
ERR... I MUST'VE TAKEN KIRIN'S BAG AND LEFT MINE IN THAT ROOM...
YEAH... A LITTLE...
WHAT'S WRONG? ARE YOU OUT OF BREATH?
WHY ARE YOU IN THE INFIRMARY AFTER SCHOOL?
HYAA!?
YORIKO!!
MU...
DID SOMETHING HAPPEN THAT YOU AREN'T TELLING...US... ABOUT...?

.....
AH, YORI...!?
AH, ERR, I'M SORRY!
RIGHT NOW, I'M REALLY IN A HURRY.
WHAT IS IT?
BE HONEST...
...HA?
YEAH, UH HUH, I'M GOING TO HANG UP, OKAY?
OKAY, WELL THEN.
"BEEP"

!?
YORI
NOW... THEN.
IF I TOLD MOM ABOUT THIS, SHE'D TRY TO HELP ME..
HEY, ARE YOU REALLY GOING ALL THE WAY TO THE VILLAGE?
EH? YEAH, THAT WAS THE PLAN, BUT...
SHINO-CHAN!? WHERE HAVE YOU BEEN UNTIL NOW?
N...
BESI-DES...
THERE'S YOLIKAI, RIGHT? DON'T YOU THINK YOU'RE JUST BEING STUBBORN?
EH, BUT EVEN IF IT'S DIFFICULT...
IT'S REALLY BROKEN DOWN SINCE IT'S BEEN LEFT ALONE, YOU KNOW?

IF YOU GO TO THE VILLAGE FOR MEDICAL TREATMENT, SOMETHING BAD MIGHT HAPPEN TO YORI, SO YOU SHOULD TAKE SOMEONE WITH YOU
THAT'S WHY...
SHINO-CHAN...? YOU DON'T HAVE A REASON TO RETURN TO THE VILLAGE?
!?
THAT ISN'T TRUE, NYA.
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DON'T YOU THINK IT'D BE A GOOD IDEA FOR ME TO PROTECT YORI WHEN YOU GO THERE?
RIGHT?

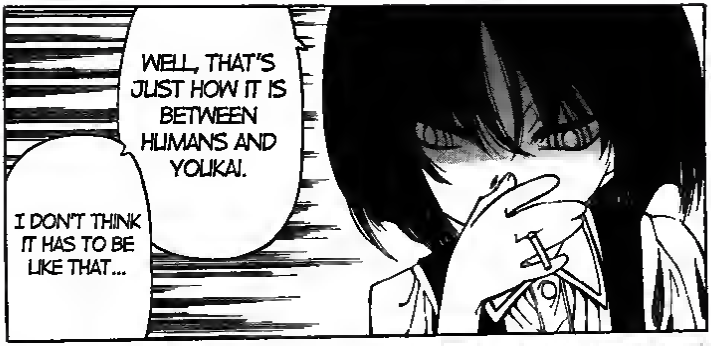
WELL... I AM YORIKO'S GUARDIAN...
SO I SHOULD GO WITH YOU...
YEAH. ♪
C'MERE...
UP UNTIL NOW, THOSE TWO HAVE SAVED US, SO...
NOW WE NEED TO HELP THEM, FOR KORYUU-KUN'S SAKE...
THAT'S IMPOSSIBLE.
WHAT YOU JUST SAID.
!?
IT'S NOT LIKE IT'S YOUR JOB TO PROTECT THEM, YOU KNOW.
ABOUT KIRIN...
SHE AND HER BROTHER OBVIOUSLY DON'T NEED ANYONE BUT EACHOTHER.
AS LONG AS THEY LIVE, NOTHING ELSE MATTERS.
ESPECIALLY WHEN IT COMES TO KORYUU. AYA-HIME IS REALLY GOING TO BEAT HIM UP FOR DOING SOMETHING BAD AGAIN.
HEHE...
ERR...
WHAT?
... WHO ARE YOU?
AHH, THAT'S RIGHT.

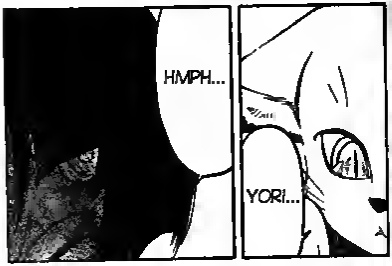
I'M HANAKO.
NICE TO MEET YOU.
...
NICE TO MEET YOU.

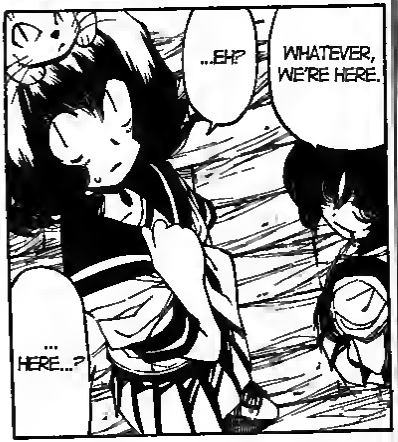
HMM.. SO YOU'RE THE SUCCESSOR
YOU MUST'VE HEARD FROM ROKUNOSUKE
I'LL BE YOUR GUIDE.
YE... YEAH...
YOU COULD ERASE ME IN AN INSTANT, RIGHT? I'M SO SCARED ♪
ERR...
WHAT?
NEKOMATA-SAN, YOU SEEM REALLY CALM. THERE'S ALWAYS A CHANCE YOU COULD BE ERASED TOO, YOU KNOW
WHEN THIS TOUR IS OVER, I'LL TEAR YOUR FACE OFF.
AHA~
MY BAD, MY BAD THIS CIGARETTE IS MADE OUT OF CHOCOLATE, YOU WANNA EAT IT?
ABOUT KIRIN...
YOU WANT ME TO CON-TINUE WHAT I WAS SAYING BEFORE?
YEAH..

DO YOU WANT TO KNOW WHY OUR VILLAGE IS IN SUCH A BAD CONDITION?
DO YOU KNOW WHY SHE FIGHTS AKUMA?
KIRIN...
UMM... AKUMA...
YE...AH.
DO YOU KNOW WHAT HAPPENED TO MY VILLAGE TO MAKE US HATE AKUMA TO SUCH AN EXTENT?
WELL THEN, DO YOU KNOW WHY KORYUU'S VOICE DOESN'T WORK?
EH...?
DO YOU KNOW WHY EVEN THOUGH I'M AN ONI, KIRIN WON'T USE MY HORN?
THAT... IS...
I SEE...

I...
DON'T KNOW... ANYTHING ABOUT THOSE TWO...


WELL, THAT'S JUST HOW IT IS BETWEEN HUMANS AND YOUKAI.
I DON'T THINK IT HAS TO BE LIKE THAT...


HMPH...
YORI...


...EH?
WHATEVER, WE'RE HERE.
...HERE...?

I DON'T THINK...
IT HAS TO BE...
LIKE THAT...

...
IF YOU REALLY BELIEVE THIS IS JUST A BAD JOKE, I'LL KILL YOU, OKAY?
THIS MEANS YOUR VILLAGE IS HERE, RIGHT...
TH...
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MY CASTLE!
I'M HANAKO. THIS SCHOOL TOILET IS..

A... TOILET, RIGHT...? AN ORDINARY...?
WE'RE SUPPOSED TO HURRY TO THE VILLAGE...
AND YET...
THIS OLD, SMELLY TOILET...
HMPH. I GOT IT. DON'T YOU THINK YOU'RE BEING PRETTY RUDE?
EH? AH... ERR...
THIS IS IT, HUMAN...
COME HERE.
O-OKAY...
IS THIS OKAY? YOU'RE DOING THIS WITHOUT KIRIN'S PERMISSION.
IT'S NOT UNUSUAL FOR HUMANS TO DIE IN THE VILLAGE, YOU KNOW?
EH? IS THAT... SO...?

WHEN YOU'RE FINISHED, JUST COME OUT.
O-OKAY...?
SOMEONE ELSE MIGHT BE IN THERE, SO JUST STAND HERE.
SO-SOMEONE ELSE..!?
WAWA!?
HURRY, COME IN.
HEY.
WHAT YOU SAID BEFORE, "I DON'T THINK IT HAS TO BE LIKE THAT".
IF YOU CAN SHOW ME THAT YOU CAN CHANGE IT
YOU'LL BE REWARDED.
FUFU...
A SINGLE HUMAN
HAS BEEN GUIDED TO THE VILLAGE. ♪
YEAH...!

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HUH?
何も起こらない？
EH?
"EH?"...?
...EH?

ERR...
AHH...
EXCUSE ME...
Y-YES!?
SINCE YOU'RE IN A HURRY, DO YOU WANT TO USE IT BEFORE ME...?
NOT AT ALL, NOT AT ALL!
DON'T MIND ME!
AH, YORI! HOLD ON A SECOND!
OH... IF I'M NOT MISTAKEN, THAT GIRL IS...?

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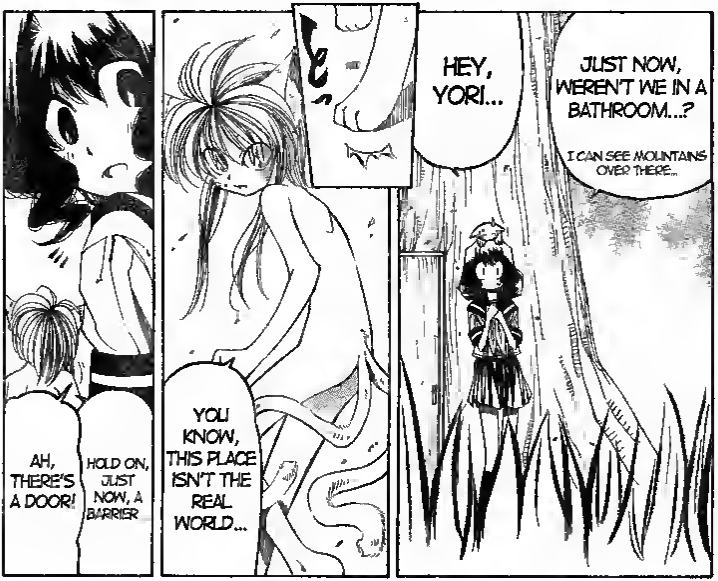
...EH?

WHERE IS...
THIS PLACE...?


JUST NOW, WEREN'T WE IN A BATHROOM...?
I CAN SEE MOUNTAINS OVER THERE...
HEY, YORI...
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YOU KNOW, THIS PLACE ISN'T THE REAL WORLD...
HOLD ON, JUST NOW, A BARRIER
AH, THERE'S A DOOR!

YORI! WAI...
I'LL JUST ASK THE GIRL FROM BEFORE.

AH, IT'S OPEN...
THIS... IS THE BATHROOM DOOR... RIGHT?
EH...!?

THAT'S THE PLACE ME AND YORI WERE BEFORE, BUT ..!

I HOPE I CAN MAKE IT...
YORI!!

...
HAA...
YOUR FORTUNE SAYS YOU SHOULD BE CAREFUL AROUND TOILETS, SO YOU SHOULD LEAVE...
HELLO...
THAT ISN'T IT...
LIKE I THOUGHT, YOU'RE THE MESSENGER FROM BEFORE, RIGHT? IF THAT'S THE CASE, YOU CAN LEAVE...
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HIME-SAMA... I FULFILLED YOUR REQUEST...
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N... AND...
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WHAT IS THIS...
I THOUGHT I OPENED THAT DOOR, SO WHY AM I IN THIS ROOM..
THE DOOR I CAME THROUGH ISN'T THERE...
AH...
EVEN AT A TIME LIKE THIS...
I CAN'T WEAR MY SHOES ON THE TATAMI. I AM JAPANESE AFTER ALL..
FIRST, I NEED TO LIGHT THIS BRAZIER...
EVEN THOUGH IT'S SUMMER, THIS ROOM IS COLD...

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THIS TAKES ME BACK... GRANDMA HAD ONE OF THESE IN HER HOUSE...
THAT'S BREAKING THE RULES.
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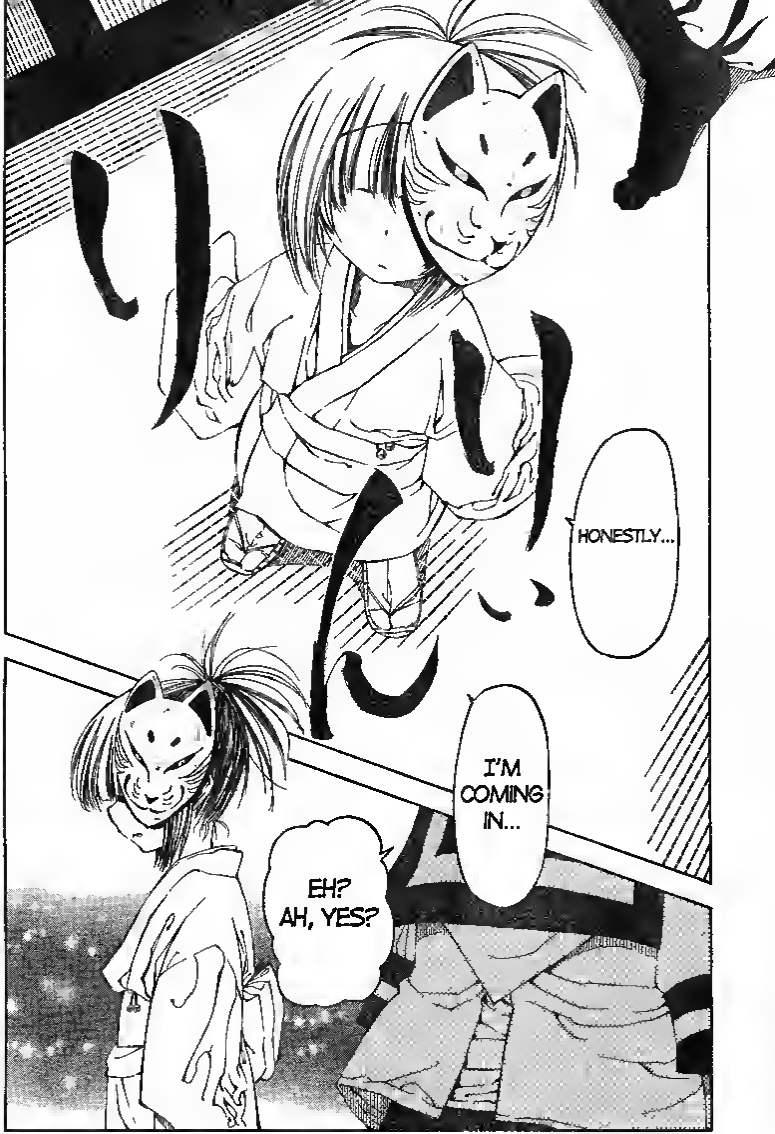
HONESTLY...
I'M COMING IN...
EH? AH, YES?

PLEASED TO MEET YOU, MINAMOTO YORIKO-SAN
YOU CAN CALL ME YOSUZUME.
AH, P-- PLEASED TO MEET YOU...
EH, AH, OKAY, YOSUZUME ...SAN?
OUR VILLAGE WELCOMES YOU...
WELCOME.
THAT REALLY DIDN'T SOUND LIKE A WELCOME..
AH, YEAH...
I HAVE THINGS TO DO BEFORE I CAN GUIDE YOU, SO PLEASE WAIT OVER THERE.
THE ROOM IS ONLY FOUR AND A HALF TATAMI WIDE, SO THERE'S NOTHING OVER THERE..

THIS AGAIN...
REALLY, WHAT IS IT WITH THIS PLACE...
I'LL HAVE TO WAIT AND ASK FOR DIREC-TIONS...
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カスカス
……!?

YOU EVEN GOT SEPERATED FROM YOUR FRIENDS...
IF THIS IS YOUKAI-SAN'S VILLAGE, IT WOULD BE NORMAL TO ASK YOUKAI-SAN.

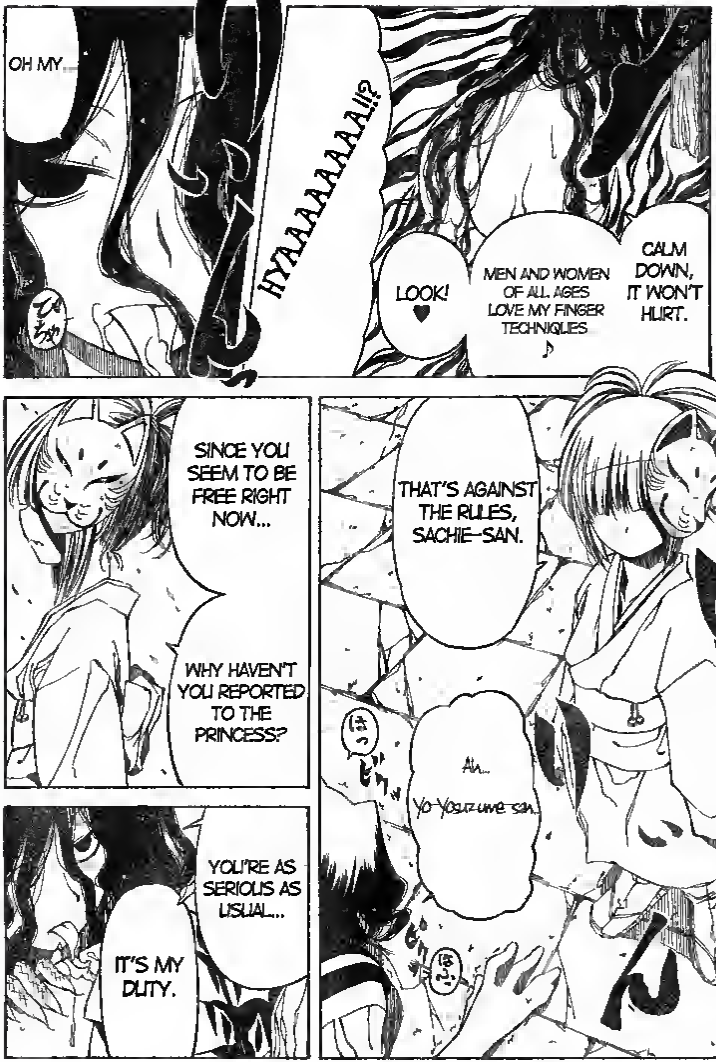
...IS THAT WEIRD?
NO.

HUH? ERR...

YOU'RE INTERES-TING, HUMAN.
YOU WANT TO MEET A YOUKAI AND ASK THEM WHICH WAY TO GO...
FOR A HUMAN TO SAY SOMETHING LIKE THAT IN THIS VILLAGE, IT MUST BE YOUR FIRST TIME HERE..

AND?
WHAT DID YOU WANT TO ASK ME?
AH... UMM...
HMM?
OH MY...
YOU'RE NOT WEARING ANY-THING...?
TH... THAT IS...
WHEN I PUT ON MY BATHING SUIT AT HOME, I FORGOT TO PUT ON UNDERWEAR... WHAT ARE YOU DOING!?
ERR...!?
RIGHT NOW, I'M LOOKING FOR SOME-ONE!!
HOW-EVER...

IT'S BEEN AWHILE SINCE A HUMAN CAME TO THE VILLAGE...
THAT'S WHY, IT'S FINE TO STAY HERE FOR A LITTLE WHILE...
I'LL BE TAKING YOUR SHIRIKODAMA. ♪
!!?
I'LL.
SHIRIKO... IF YOU TAKE THAT, I'LL DIE, RIGHT...!?
IT'S ALRIGHT.
YOU'LL JUST...
BECOME A CRIPPLE. ♪
ISN'T THAT THE SAME AS BEING DEAD!?


OH MY...
HYAAAAAAAA!!?
LOOK!
MEN AND WOMEN OF ALL AGES LOVE MY FINGER TECHNIQUES
CALM DOWN, IT WON'T HURT.
SINCE YOU SEEM TO BE FREE RIGHT NOW...
WHY HAVEN'T YOU REPORTED TO THE PRINCESS?
THAT'S AGAINST THE RULES, SACHIE-SAN.
Ah...
Yo-Yoruzuwe-san.
YOU'RE AS SERIOUS AS USUAL...
IT'S MY DUTY.

.....?
YOU'LL WAKE UP AND REALIZE IT...
THE SECOND YOU CAME TO THIS VILLAGE...
BUT...
HYAN!?
IF YOSUZUME SAYS IT, THEN IT CAN'T BE HELPED...
YOUR LIFE.
YOU FORFEITED
...!
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JUST A THREAT... THAT MIGHT BE TRUE, BUT...
YOU SHOULD UNDERSTAND THAT YOU WON'T BE KILLED THAT WAS JUST A THREAT.
.....
YOSUZUME-SAN AND THAT YOUKAI FROM BEFORE... DO YOU HATE ME?
THANKS
.....
COULD YOU LET GO OF ME?
HAND...
AH, SORRY
ぱっ
IF I HAD TO SAY LIKE OR HATE...
WELL...

HOWEVER, THAT'S AGAINST THE RULES, SO I'LL TRY MY BEST TO CONTROL MYSELF.
.....
I HATE YOU SUCH MUCH THAT I WANT TO TEAR YOU INTO A HUNDRED PIECES.
HIME-SAMA TOLD EVERYONE IN OUR VILLAGE TO FORGIVE YOU, BUT...
...EH?
YOU'RE THE REASON FOR OUR HATE.
NO.
YOU GUYS MUST HATE ALL HUMANS...

THEN... COULD YOU TELL ME THE REASON FOR YOUR HATE..?
...EVERYONE REALLY LOVES KORYUU-SAMA.
HUMANS AND YOUKAI GETTING MARRIED ISN'T AN UNCOMMON THING.
HAA...
WE WANT TO COEXIST WITH HUMANS. IF THE HATE WASN'T ONLY ONE-SIDED, WE COULD BE AT PEACE
NOW, LET'S GO. HIME-SAMA IS WAITING.
YEAH...
I SEE...
THAT KORYUU-SAMA DIED BECAUSE OF YOU. EVERYONE CAUSED AN UPROAR.

EH... SOMETHING IS WEIRD...?
EVEN THOUGH YOU SAID YOU HATED ME, I SHOULD STILL THANK YOU.
.....
AH...
YOU FORGOT THESE IN THAT ROOM.
THANK YOU...
.....
OWCH!?
OWWY..? WHAT IS THIS... A THUMB TACK?
.....
GEEZ...
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.....
HH
AH...
...EH?
EVEN THOUGH WE HURT YOU WITH THAT THUMB TACK, YOU STILL...
OKAY, NOW THEN, LET'S GO.
WE'RE HERE.
THAT PLACE... ARE KIRIN AND KORYUU-KUN THERE?
YES.
ARE YOU... TAKING ME TO WHERE HIME-SAMA IS?
YE... AH?
REGARDLESS... WE SHOULD GO
AH, ARE YOU TRYING TO APOLOGIZE?

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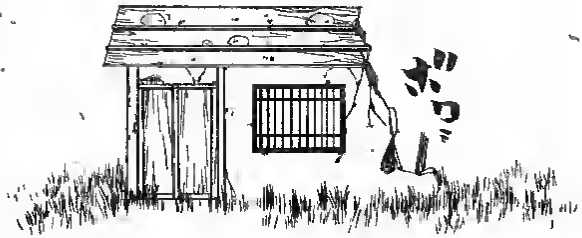
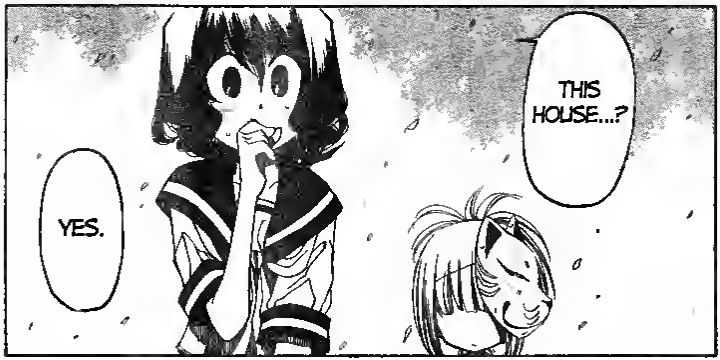
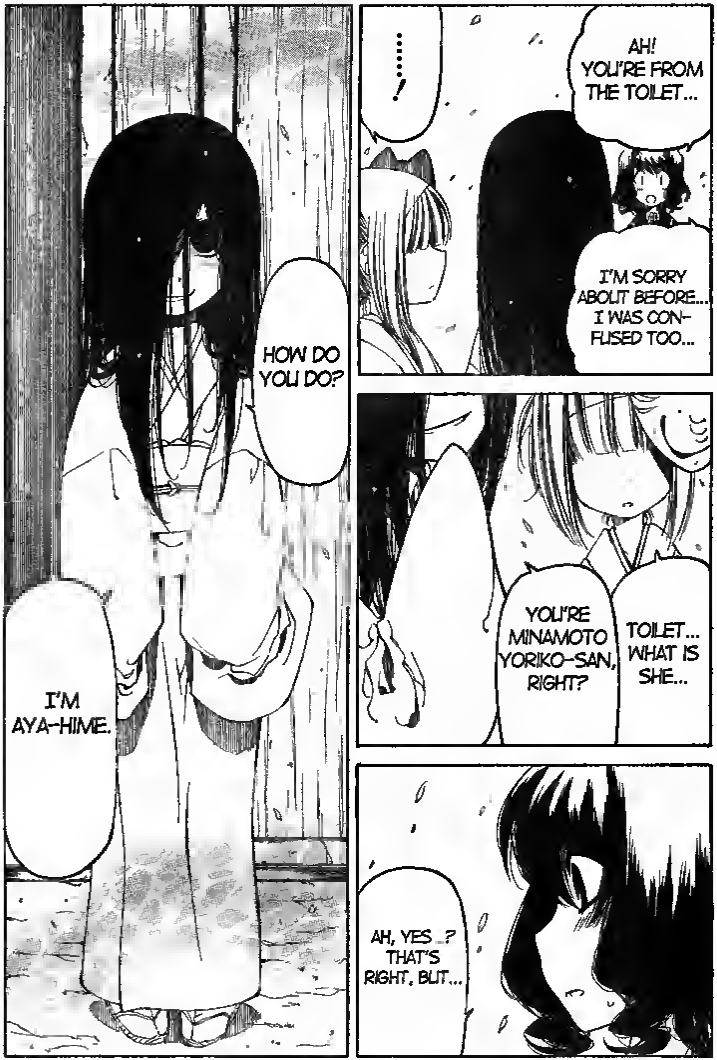




N...
SO THIS RUN-DOWN APPEARANCE IS JUST A PROJECTION OF MY MIND... THAT CAN'T BE TRUE, RIGHT?
EH, AH...
I SEE HUMANS STILL HAVEN'T GOTTEN OVER THAT BAD HABIT OF JUDGING EVERYTHING BY HOW IT LOOKS
THANK GOODNESS YOU'RE HERE, I WAS ABOUT TO COME LOOK FOR YOU...
WHAT HAPPENED TO THE OTHER PEOPLE?
THEY DIDN'T WANT TO SEE ANY HUMANS SO THEY QUICKLY LEFT.
AS IT IS, WE'RE LATE, BUT LET'S JUST CONTINUE HONESTLY...
AH...


HOW DO YOU DO?
I'M AYA-HIME.
.....!
AH! YOU'RE FROM THE TOILET...
I'M SORRY ABOUT BEFORE... I WAS CONFUSED TOO...
YOU'RE MINAMOTO YORIKO-SAN, RIGHT?
TOILET... WHAT IS SHE...
AH, YES ...? THAT'S RIGHT, BUT...

AH, H-HOW DO YOU DO... YOU'RE THIS VILLAGE'S... PRINCESS...?
YES.
I PEEPED ON HIME-SAMA WHILE SHE WAS IN THE BATHROOM...
THERE WAS A HUGE UPROAR WHEN WE SAW KORYUU-KUN. TO TELL YOU THE TRUTH, EVERYONE WANTED TO CUT YOU UP AND EAT YOUR BRAINS...
IT REALLY ISN'T A LAUGHING MATTER...
ERR... KIRIN AND KORYUU-KUN
AHH, YEAH YEAH.
THEY DIED... IF I SAID THAT, WHAT WOULD YOU DO?

◆虚颯が死んだ!?
KORYUU-KUN IS...
NO WAY...
DEAD...!?

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綾姫の衝撃発言に戸惑う頼子！
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巻頭カラー!!
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I...
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I...
KORYUU-KUN...
WHAT SHOULD I DO...
THAT CAN'T...
IT'S MY... FAULT...?

HYA!?
DON'T BE LIKE THAT. ♪
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もご
うん
MMM...
EH? EH? WHAT...?
YEAH... I GOT IT. ♪
AH, UH, OKAY...
PLEASE WIPE THE DIRT OFF YOUR ASS BEFORE YOU COME IN MY HOUSE.
ERR...

... HIME-SAMA, CHOPPING IS PROHIBITED.
YOU'RE BEING STRICT AGAIN.
NOW, SHALL WE?
TE!
TO!
EI!
GEEZ
YO!
HER TEARS AREN'T THAT OF A LIAR
YOU'RE ALRIGHT WITH THIS?
AH...
IT WAS DELICIOUS. ♪
.....
I SAW YOUR TEAR FILLED REACTION
HOLD ON.
UMM, IS KORYUU-KUN...

IT REALLY IS BROKEN DOWN...
ボロ…

WA... A DIRT FLOOR... IF I'M NOT MISTAKEN, GRANDMA HAD ONE TOO...
THIS FEELING...

WELCOME, COME, COME, WE HAVE MANY THINGS TO DISCUSS.
Y-YEAH
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AH, NO, IT'S NOTHING.
IS SOMETHING WRONG, YORIKO-SAN?

SOMEHOW..
THIS PLACE SEEMS REALLY NOSTALGIC...

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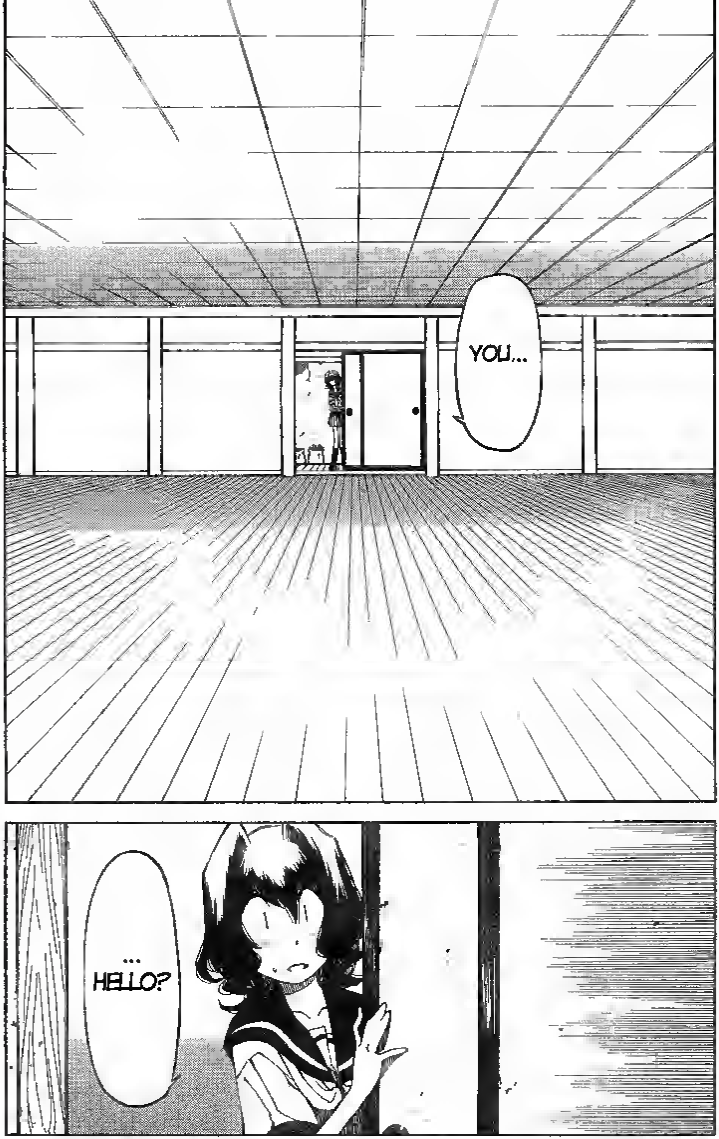
ERR, WELL THEN, PLEASE EXCUSE ME FOR DISTURBING...


YOU...
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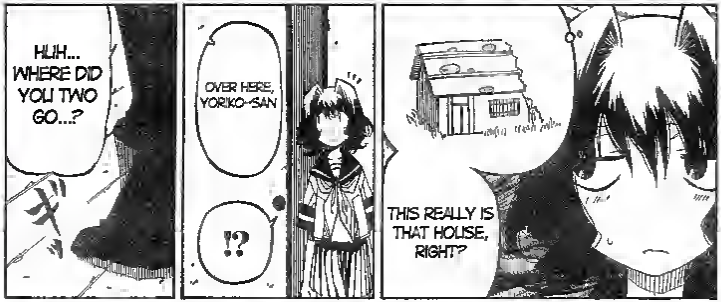
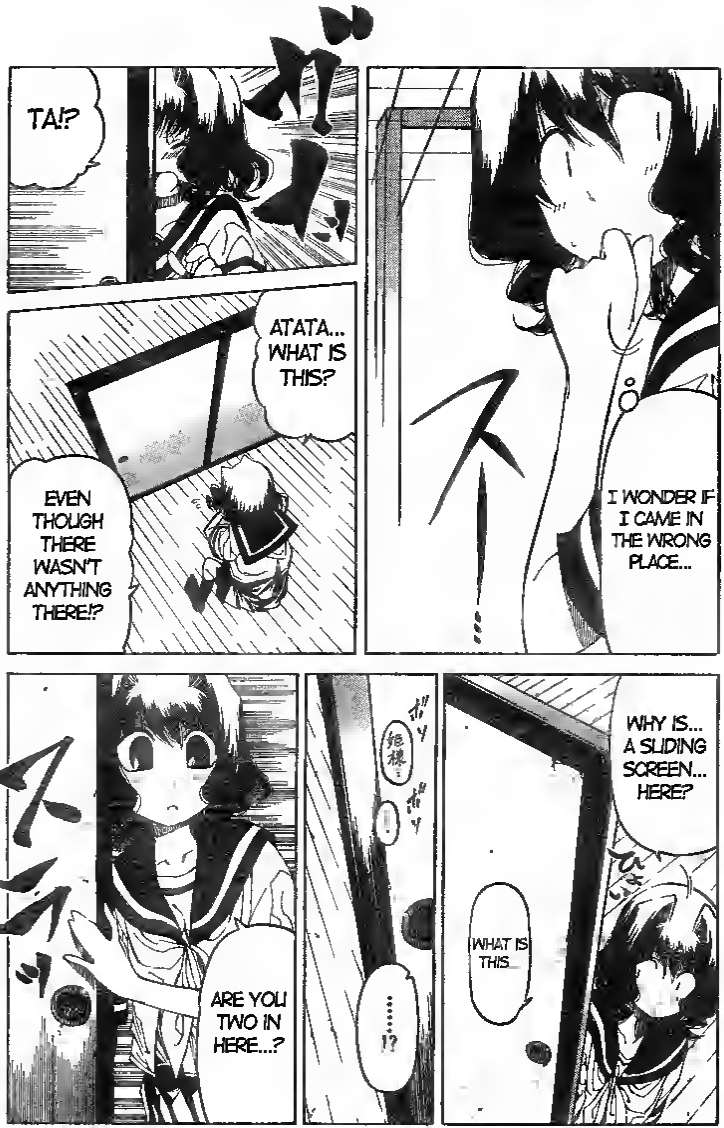
HELLO?

I CAN'T SEE ANYTHING OVER THERE...


HUH... WHERE DID YOU TWO GO...?
OVER HERE, YORIKO-SAN
!?
THIS REALLY IS THAT HOUSE, RIGHT?

THIS PLACE FEELS THE SAME AS THAT BATHROOM DOOR, I WONDER IF THEY'RE CONNECTED ..


I WONDER IF I CAME IN THE WRONG PLACE...
ATATA... WHAT IS THIS?
EVEN THOUGH THERE WASN'T ANYTHING THERE!?
TA!?
WHY IS... A SLIDING SCREEN... HERE?
WHAT IS THIS...
!?
ARE YOU TWO IN HERE...?

...YORIKO!?
AH... KIRIN...?
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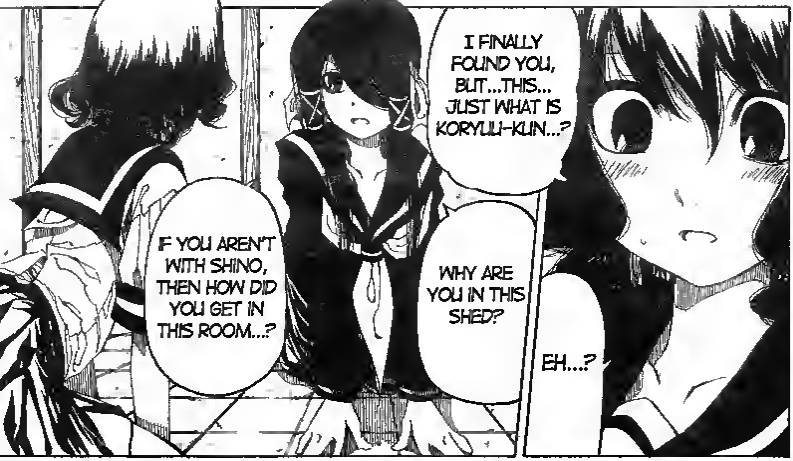
I FINALLY FOUND YOU, BUT...THIS... JUST WHAT IS KORYUU-KUN...?
EH...?
WHY ARE YOU IN THIS SHED?
IF YOU AREN'T WITH SHINO, THEN HOW DID YOU GET IN THIS ROOM...?

AH, YEAH, RIGHT WHEN I CAME TO THE VILLAGE, I GOT SEPARATED FROM SHINO-CHAN.
BUT YOSUZUME-SAN GUIDED ME ALL THE WAY HERE.
YOSU-ZUME...!?
THAT'S RIGHT.
THAT MEANS AYA-HIME!?

I WAS BROUGHT ALONG AS WELL.
AS A VERY IMPORTANT HONOURED GUEST.
IMPORTANT, IMPORTANT...
I BROUGHT MEDICINE FOR KORYUU-KUN.
HIME-SAMA.. JUST WHAT ARE YOU..?
MEDI-CINE..?
.....?
YOU HEARD WHAT I SAID..

YORIKO-CHAN ON THE OTHER HAND.
YOU'LL HELP KORYUU-KUN.
...!!?
ERR... WHAT ARE YOU SAYING...
HYA!?

YORIKO-SAN.
WHAT!? WHAT IS THIS!?
WA!?
WA!?
OW!?
I'LL TAKE YOUR 'POWER OF THE SUC-CESSOR'.
EH...? YOU CAN REALLY DO SOMETHING LIKE THAT?
.....
DON'T BE WORRIED ABOUT MOVING, YORIKO-SAN.
YOSUZUME-SAN? TH-THIS IS...!?

WE WERE ONLY TOGETHER FOR A MOMENT, BUT...
IT WAS FUN, YORIKO-SAN...
IF YOU WANT TO CURSE ME.. I DON'T MIND.
TH...

THAT'S TOO ONE-SIDED... IF MY POWER IS NEEDED, I CAN USE IT...!!
JUST TELL ME WHAT WAY TO USE IT AND I'LL DO MY BEST...
.....
THAT'S WRONG.
YOU'LL BE DEVOURED.
BY THE POWER ITSELF.

KIRIN...? WHAT DO YOU WANT TO DO?
.....
UP UNTIL NOW, IT'S BEEN DRAWN OUT, LITTLE BY LITTLE. THAT'S GREAT, BUT...
HOW WOULD YOU GET A STRONGER REACTION?
I DON'T KNOW.. IN ANY CASE..
IT'S REGRET-TABLE, DON'T YOU THINK?
DO YOU APPROVE?
YOU CAN KILL THE HUMAN YOU HATE, BUT...
KIRIN...

AH...
KORYUU-KUN COULD BE SAVED, SO...
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I WONDER WHY SHE'S MAKING A FACE LIKE THAT...
Ki...
Yori...ko...
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NII...
SAN...
THERE'S NO WAY YOU COULD...

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THE SEAL ISN'T WORKING...?
SOMEHOW... AT THAT TIME... WE WON... BUT...
KORYUU... KUN?
EH...?
I'M SORRY, YORIKO...

YOU'LL BE DRAGGED INTO THIS AGAIN
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YOU'LL HAVE TO... LEND US YOUR POWER..
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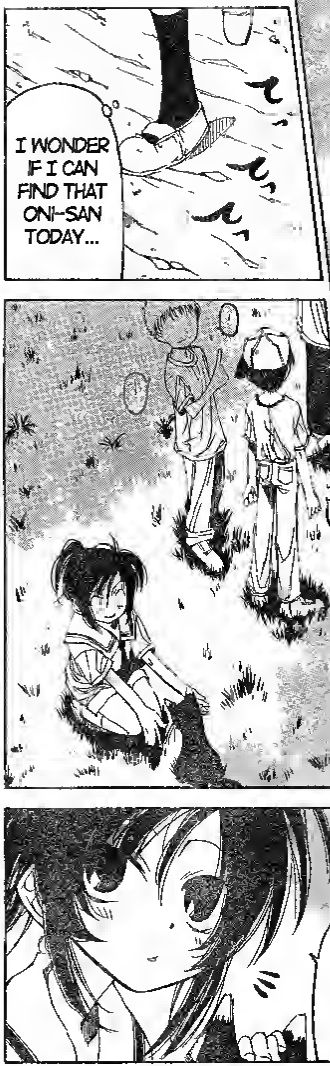
EVEN THOUGH I PROMISED TO PROTECT YOU I COULDN'T. I'M SORRY.
EH...?
SHH...
HIME-SAMA..
NII-SAN..? WHAT IN THE WORLD ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT..?

YORIKO...
DO YOU REMEMBER...

REMEMBER...?
I'VE FORGOTTEN...?
GRANNY~!
I'M GOING TO GO PLA~Y!
OKAY, BE CAREFUL!
OKA~Y!
IS THERE SOMETHING...


I WONDER IF I CAN FIND THAT ONI-SAN TODAY...
I'M LEAVI~NG!
.....!

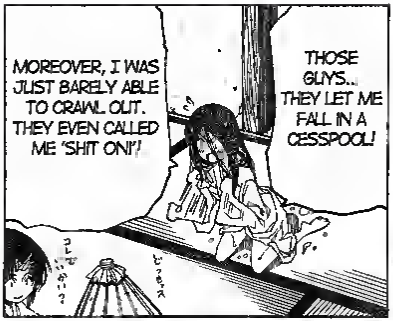
I'LL PLAY WITH YOU TOMORROW!!
I'M SORRY! I HAVE SOMETHING ELSE TO DO!
YORI~! WHERE ARE YOU GOING?
EVERYONE IS PLAYING OVER HERE!
EHH...

HAH
HAH
HAH

MIYO-CHAN GOT REJECTED
.....
YORI WENT TO THE MOUNTAINS YESTERDAY TOO.
FINE...
HEY, HEY, LET'S PLAY SHIT ON!

KORYUU-KUN, ARE YOU HERE?
ERR...
PUHAH
MAYBE HE'S TAKING A PISS AND I SHOULD COME BACK LATER.
KORYUU-KUN! THANK GOODNESS
YOU SHOULDN'T CALL OUT TO PEOPLE IN SUCH A WEIRD WAY..
HEY, I HAVE A REQUEST.
DIDN'T I TELL YOU NOT TO COME HERE?
BUT, BUT, I HAVE SOMETHING REALLY IMPORTANT TO DO.
... WHAT IS IT...?

YOU KNOW... I NEED TO DO IT PROPERLY...
IF I DON'T SAY SORRY, IT'S NO GOOD.
.....
... YOU'RE STILL THINKING ABOUT THAT?
NII-SAN!!!
MASSACRE ALL OF THE HUMANS!!!


MOREOVER, I WAS JUST BARELY ABLE TO CRAWL OUT. THEY EVEN CALLED ME 'SHIT ON!'
THOSE GUYS... THEY LET ME FALL IN A CESSPOOL!

... YOU'RE NOISY AGAIN TODAY. YOU'RE SOAKED TO THE BONE, WHAT HAPPENED?
YET YOU'RE STILL SO ENERGETIC

I'LL ABSOLUTELY NEVER FORGIVE HUMANS!!!

The river was really rough, but... The smell still didn't wash away
AHH, SO BECAUSE OF THAT...
YOU SMELL LIKE THIS NOW...

HOWEVER, KIRIN, IF THAT'S THE CASE...
WHY SHOULD I HAVE TO CLEAN UP AFTER YOU?
AH... THAT... IS...
EVEN SO THAT'S...
IT'S FINE, RIGHT?
SINCE YOU'RE AN ADULT.
YOU'RE AT THAT AGE WHERE YOU DON'T HAVE TO RELY ON ME.
YOU CAN GET TO THE HUMAN VILLAGE BY YOURSELF. YOU CAN RELY ON YOUR SENSES, RIGHT?
YOU'RE ALREADY AN ADULT.
AM I WRONG?
WE HAVE TO CARRY OUT THIS VILLAGE'S DUTIES PERFECTLY
WE CAN'T NEGLECT OUR TRAINING SINCE YOU'RE AN ONI, YOU SHOULD BE MORE SELF-CONCIOUS

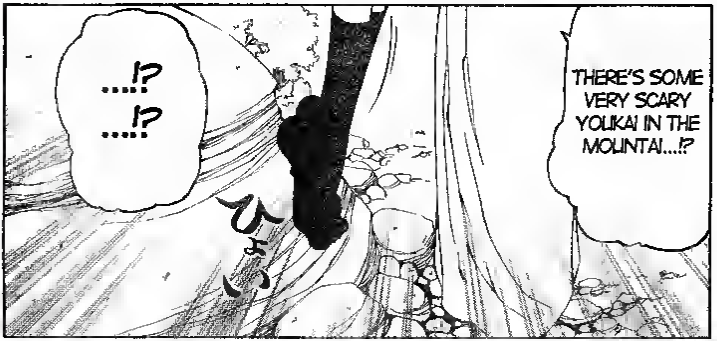
IT SEEMS LIKE YOU LOST YOUR VOICE...
YOU SEEM FIXATED ON IT. I UNDERSTAND, IT WAS MY MISTAKE. SO, WHERE IS IT?
FUU..
HEY, C'MERE IT'S ALRIGHT NOW JUST GET IN THE BATH AND GO TO SLEEP.
Hi~n
FUMU..
.....

WELL, AFTER THIS, I'LL APPLY SOME MOXA TO THOSE KIDS...
NOW...
SOMETHING WEIRD ENTERED THE BARRIER THAT MADE HER WORRY.
YOSUZUME SAID TO GO OUT A HUNDRED METERS AND REPORT BACK...
WHY ISN'T IT CAUSING ME TO BE UNEASY...
HYAN!?
きょとん
WHA... A KID!?
NO WAY... HOW DID A KID GET ALL THE WAY...!?
AND WHY IS SHE UNDRESSING...

EH!?
WAWA WAWA!?
WAAAAA!? NO, ERR, RIGHT! STREAM! I WAS JUST COMING TO THE STREAM...!! SO YOU DON'T NEED TO CRY...!!
I DIDN'T REALLY GET A CLEAR LOOK AT IT... ERR... A-ANYWAYS, I'LL GO! OKAY!?
.....
... WHAT AM I DOING...
ONI-SAN...
EH, AH, WHAT?
ONI-SAN IS A NICE ONI-SAN, RIGHT...?
HMM... WELL... I WONDER ABOUT THAT...?

YOU KNOW, THE OTHER DAY, EVERYONE ATTACKED AN ONI GIRL AND DROVE HER OUT OF OUT VILLAGE...
MY FRIENDS SAID THAT ONI WERE BAD PEOPLE...
I TEASED HER TOO, BUT YOU KNOW...
THAT KID RAN AWAY...
CRYING ..
KIRIN IS ALRIGHT NOW.
THAT'S WHY...
IF I DON'T SAY SORRY, I'LL FEEL BAD...
... YOU KNOW THAT KID?
SHE'S MY LITTLE SISTER.

I'M KORYUU, KIRIN'S OLDER BROTHER.
.....
NOT THE SON-IN-LAW...
WELL, ANYWAY, DON'T COME HERE ANYMORE, OKAY?


THERE'S SOME VERY SCARY YOUKAI IN THE MOUNTAI...!?
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BYE, ONI-SAN!
I'LL COME AGAIN TOMORROW!

SHE FORGOT .. HER PANTIES...
KYAU!?
WH...!?
HONESTLY... THIS STRAIN IS MAKING ME GO MAD...
YESTERDAY WAS TERRIBLE...
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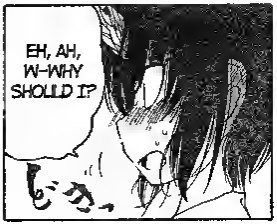
...DON'T TOUCH MY HORN, OKAY?
I GIVE UP, I DON'T EVEN KNOW WHAT'S GOING ON...


EH, AH, W-WHY SHOULD I?

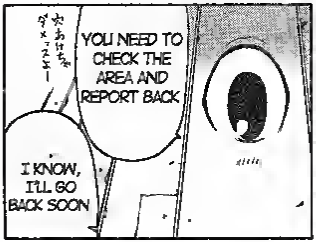
TELL ME, DID YOU ASK HER?
EH...
HEY...

BECAUSE! I WANT TO SEE KIRIN-CHAN!

MASSACRE ALL OF THE HUMANS...!!
AH, NO... THAT IS...
WAI...
IT'S FINE IF SHE DOESN'T FORGIVE ME.
BUT, IF I DON'T SAY SORRY, IT'S NO GOOD!

...
YOU AREN'T SURPRISED BY US?
EVEN THOUGH WE'RE YOKAI...
IF YOU'RE KORYUU-KUN'S FRIEND, THERE'S NO PROBLEM, RIGHT?
WHAT ABOUT YOUR DUTIES?

...
KORYUU-KUN'S FRIEND?
INTERRUPTING A LOVER'S DATE IS INEXCUSABLE.
YOU KNOW THAT ISN'T WHAT THIS IT!


YOU NEED TO CHECK THE AREA AND REPORT BACK.
I KNOW, I'LL GO BACK SOON

KARO~N
KORO~N

DON'T TOUCH MY HORN!!
HYAN!?

WELL THEN, I'LL GO BACK FIRST. FEEL FREE TO LOOK AT MY TAIL.
WHO WOULD!

BUT...
WHY IS KORYUU-SAMA INFATUATED WITH AN ORDINARY HUMAN.
ALTHOUGH, I LIKE YUKIE-SAN...
THOSE FINGERS SEND SHOCKS UP MY PARASOL, I REALLY WANT TO VIOLATE HER.
HH, ND... THEN SHE WOULD OPEN MY PARASOL ALL THE WAY.
...N?
A KID...
THOSE CLOTHES DON'T MATCH THIS COUNTRY-SIDE..
I WONDER IF THAT GUY THE SON OF A NOBLE.

WELL, SINCE THAT KID FROM BEFORE WASN'T SURPRISED, I GOT LONELY..
THIS KID WILL BRIGHTEN MY MOOD. ♪
NOW THEN...
N..?
WHAT IS THAT.. A SHADOW? BUT, RIGHT NOW.. IT'S NOON...

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THIS IS...
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ONI-GOKKO
黒柾志西
第14話：Victim

LOST?
YESTERDAY EVENING IN THE NEIGHBOUR-HOOD...
RIGHT AFTER WE SEPER-ATED...
AND ONE OTHER THING...
YEAH, IT'S IN A WEIRD CONDITION...
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CONVEY THAT TO EVERYONE IN THE VILLAGE.
...
I UNDERSTAND, I'LL BE LEAVING...
IF THIS HAPPENS AGAIN, WE WILL SKIN YOU WITH OUR FANGS.
WITH THOSE FANGS, WE WILL CRUSH YOUR SKULLS INTO PASTE.
HOWEVER, THIS REALLY IS WEIRD..
AN AYAKASHI THAT CAN TEAR THE LIFE OUT BY IT'S ROOTS AND RETURN IT TO AN ORDINARY PARASOL..
EVEN IF IT WAS ANOTHER AYAKASHI, IT WOULDN'T BE ABLE TO INJURE IT TO THIS EXTENT.
SOMETHING LIKE THAT ISN'T POSSIBLE... WHAT IN THE WORLD IS...
NII-SAN.
N?

THE VILLAGE SEEMS A LITTLE NOISY THIS MORNING...
AHH... NO, IT'S NOTHING, KIRN.
LET'S SEE... YEAH, THIS PICKLED RICE-BRAN IS DELICIOUS.
ROKUNOSUKE PICKLED THEM HIMSELF... BUT NEVER-MIND THAT..
NII-SAN... YOU'RE NOT HIDING ANYTHING FROM ME, ARE YOU ..?
KIRIN STILL HASN'T ACCEPTED THAT PEOPLE NEED THEIR PRIVACY
HAHA, THERE'S NO WAY I'D DO TH...
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I FOUND THEM EARLIER WHEN I WAS TIDYING UP YOUR FUTON...
THIS IS WHAT HUMAN GIRLS USE FOR UNDERWEAR THEY'RE CALLED PANTIES, RIGHT?

WHY WOULD SOMETHING LIKE THAT BE IN YOUR FUTON...?
WA... WAIT, YOU'RE JUST MISUNDERSTANDING...!?
THAT'S NOT IT, THAT'S JUST LOST PROPERTY THAT SOMEONE FORGOT...
COULD IT BE... NII-SAN IS THAT KIND OF PERSON...
A HUMAN'S... WHY A HUMAN'S...
NO, KIRIN... THAT'S WRONG...

DAMN... I DIDN'T GET TO RETURN THEM TO YORIKO AT THAT TIME...

NII-SAN,
H...
HOW DOES IT LOOK?
SINCE YOU PREFER HUMANS... I PUT THEM ON... HOW IS IT...
KI... KIRIN...!?

KUKU KUKUKU!
WHA!?
I WAS SO RESOLUTE, I EVEN LOOK LIKE THIS RIGHT NOW...
WHAT ARE YOU LAUGHING AT...!!!
PU!
!?
IF IT'S FOR NII-SAN... I'D...
REGARDLESS.. H-HOW DOES IT LOOK? DOES IT... SUIT ME?
WHAT'S WRONG, KIRIN? THAT'S...
ROKUNOSUKE WENT ALL THE WAY TO THE HUMAN VILLAGE TO GET THEM..
I GIVE UP... THE PANTIES ARE TORN NOW, HOW COULD I RETURN THEM...
NII-SAN, YOU'RE ALWAYS...!
C-CU... Y-YOU TRICKED ME!!
NO, NO, IT'S CUTE. NOW...
NII-SAN IS BEYOND THICK-HEADED!!

I'M SORRY, YORIKO...
ANYWAYS, IT REALLY WAS SUDDEN, WASN'T IT?
WELL... MAYBE THEY WERE SPIRITED AWAY?
THIS MAKES THREE PEOPLE...
TOMOZOU-SAN AND YOU-CHAN
ANYWAY, GOING TO THE MOUNTAIN IS FORBIDDEN NOW.
YEAH, THE CHILDREN SHOULD BE CAREFUL TOO.
WELL THEN, YOU TOO, GEN-CHAN.
TELL CHUUZAI-SAN TO BE CAREFUL AS WELL.
YEAH
GRANNY, DID SOMETHING HAPPEN?
HMM? IT'S NOTHING, DON'T WORRY ABOUT IT, YORIKO.
THAT'S RIGHT, FROM NOW ON, DON'T GO TO THE MOUNTAIN ANYMORE, OKAY?
OKAY...
SOMEONE DISAPPEARED... SOMETHING HAPPENED ON THE MOUNTAIN...

MIYO-CHAN!?
over here!
Shh!
Yori
?
I STILL WANT TO GO SEE KORYU-KUN

YESTER-DAY YOU PROMISED!
EH? BUT...
ANYWAYS, LET'S GO PLAY!
NO, THEY JUST SAID I COULDN'T GO TO THE MOUNTAIN, BUT...
WHY DO I HAVE TO USE SUCH A QUIET VOICE?
THAT'S NICE...
DIDN'T THEY SAY YOU COULDN'T PLAY OUTSIDE?

ERR...
YOU KNOW, THERE'S SOME REALLY PRETTY FLOWERS BLOOM-ING THERE...
IF I DON'T KEEP THOSE YOUKAI A SECRET...
YOU NEVER PLAY WITH US AT ALL ANYMORE.
WHAT ARE YOU DOING ON THE MOUNTAIN?
LATELY, YORI HAS BEEN GOING TO THE MOUNTAIN ALONE

HMPH...
FINE!
I'LL GO HOME!!
MIYO-CHAN!?
MIYO-CHAN?
MIYO-CHAN, WAIT!
LATER, YORI!
LLLL MIYO-CHAN DIDN'T HAVE TO GET MAD SO FAST
HUH...?
MIYO-CHAN'S HOUSE IS OVER THERE...?
NO. OVER THERE IS..
WELL, TOMORROW, SHE'LL JUST ACT LIKE NOTHING HAPPENED..

YORI... I'LL DEFINITELY FIND OUT WHAT YOU'RE HIDING ON THE MOUNTAIN!
THE MOUN-TAIN...!?
THIS IS OKAY... RIGHT...?
HOW SHOULD I SEARCH FOR IT...
BUT...
TH... THERE'S NO MONSTERS... RIGHT?
THAT REMINDS ME... YESTERDAY, THREE PEOPLE ON THE MOUNTAIN...

NYAH
HI!?
KSHU!
KSHU!
WHAT IS IT, NIIKO...?
.....?
IT'S NOT... A CAT... A WEASEL? WHAT IS THIS KID..?

ARE YOU... HURT?
ARE YOU! OKAY? IF NOT, PAPA CAN TREAT YOU.
A HUMAN
IT.. TALKED!?
GET AWAY... FROM THIS PLACE...
...EH?

NO, WHAT!? YOUR HAND IS BREAKING...!?
SHIT... WHAT THE HELL... ARE YOU...
EH...?
IT WASN'T DELICIOUS...
YOU KNOW,
...ROKUNO-SUKE!!

...!
WELL THEN, AFTER THIS, I'LL BE COUNTING ON YOU, GYUUKI AND YASHA, TO GO TO THE WEST SIDE OF THE MOUNTAIN
IS KORYUU-SAMA GOING ALONE?
YES, SIR.
NO, ROKUNO-SUKE ALSO
KORYUU-SAMA.
WHAT IS IT, ROKUNOSUKE?
IT'S ON THE EAST SIDE OF THE MOUNTAIN.
OKAY... EVERYONE,
TELL ICHINO-SUKE...
BROTHER IS ALREADY...
I SEE...
IF ANY OF YOU COME INTO CONTACT WITH IT, TELL ME.
KORYUU-SAMA?

MIYO-CHA~N! WHERE ARE YO~U!
NOT HERE... I WONDER WHERE SHE WENT...
I CAME ALL THE WAY TO THE STREAM.
MIYO-CHAN... SINCE SHE'S A COWARD, SHE WOULDN'T HAVE COME THIS FAR.
IT'S NOT SIMPLY ANOTHER KIND OF AYAKASHI.
I'LL BE GOING.

NOW THAT I THINK ABOUT IT... I STILL DIDN'T GET THE PANTIES BACK FROM LAST TIME
BUT... IF IT'S KORYUU-KUN.. I DON'T MIND..
...YORI!?
MIYO-CHAN!?
!?
YORI... WHY ARE YOU HERE!?
...EH?
MIYO-CHAN, YOU REALLY CAME TO THE MOUNTAIN...
YORI... R-RUN...
MIYO-CHAN!? WHAT IS IT...!?
IT'S NO GOOD, YORI, HURRY AND RUN... THAT THING IS COMING...!!
LIKE I THOUGHT, I CAN'T FIND ANYTHING DELICIOUS.

ONII-CHAN AND ONEE-CHAN ONLY LIE TO ME.
HEY...
REALLY..
THIS PLACE IS FILLED WITH THINGS THAT AREN'T DELICIOUS...
WHICH ONE...
ARE YOU?

IT'S NII-SAN...
YEAH.
WHAT IN THE WORLD COULD TURN OUR BEING COMPLETELY INTO ASH...
...
I FINALLY FOUND IT...!!
YASHA! DON'T LOSE SIGHT OF KORYUU-SAMA!
IT'S CLOSE!
GOT IT!

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里の危機が迫る！
置いて行かれた綺麟は…
OH... WHAT ARE YOU DOING IN A PLACE LIKE THIS?
TODAY'S TRAINING STILL ISN'T OVER, RIGHT?
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...
DID KORYUU SCOLD YOU AGAIN?
OH MY...
NII-SAN... LIKES A HUMAN GIRL MORE THAN ME...
EVEN THOUGH I FEEL LIKE THIS...
NII-SAN ALWAYS...
HYA!?
KORYUU IS ALWAYS TESTING YOU.
RIGHT.
...TESTING?
BECAUSE YOU'RE BECOMING AN ADULT ON!...
...AND THE HUMAN GIRL IS PART OF IT...
OF COURSE!
IT'S TO WAKE UP YOUR FIGHTING SPIRIT!

I WILL TRAIN! AYA-HIME!!
BUT THAT WON'T HAPPEN... IF YOU SLACK OFF ALL DAY...
YOU KNOW,
KORYUU IS WAITING FOR YOU TO BECOME AN ADULT ONI.
...FOR WHEN I COME OF AGE...?
OH BOY... THE DAY WHEN THAT CHILD BECOMES AN ADULT...
IS STILL VERY FAR AWAY...

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ONI-GOKKO

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第15話：Disillusion

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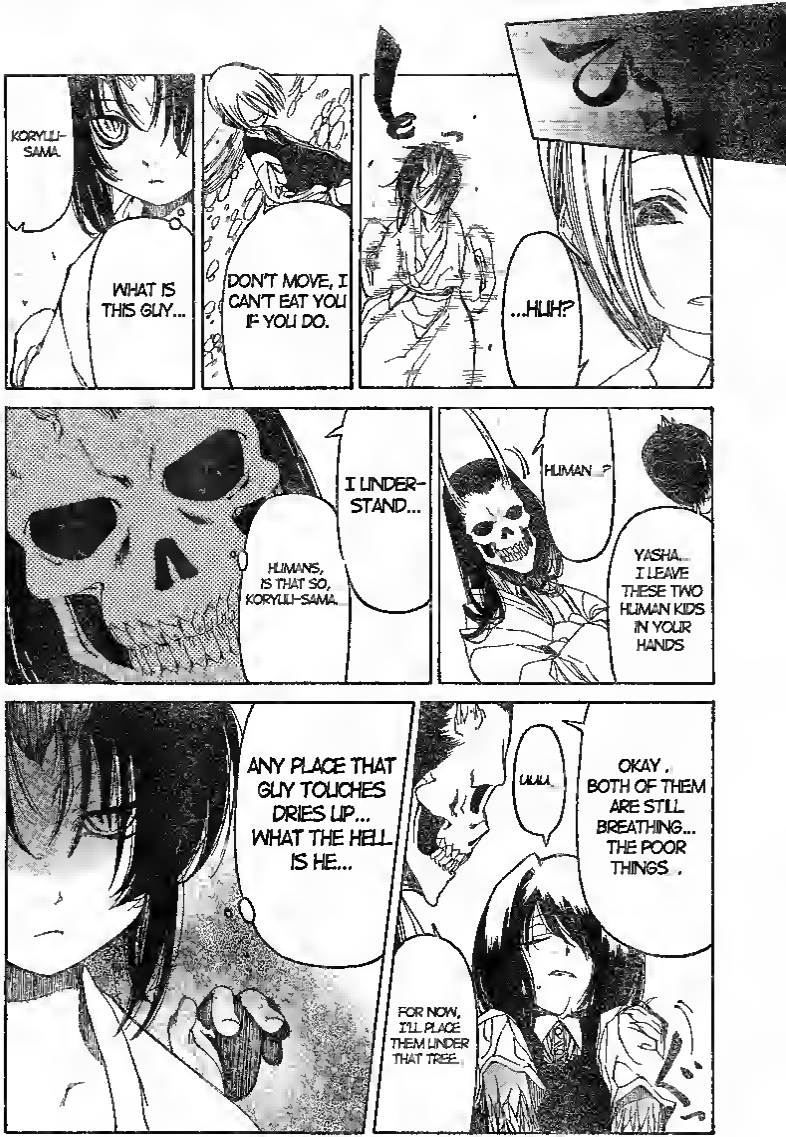
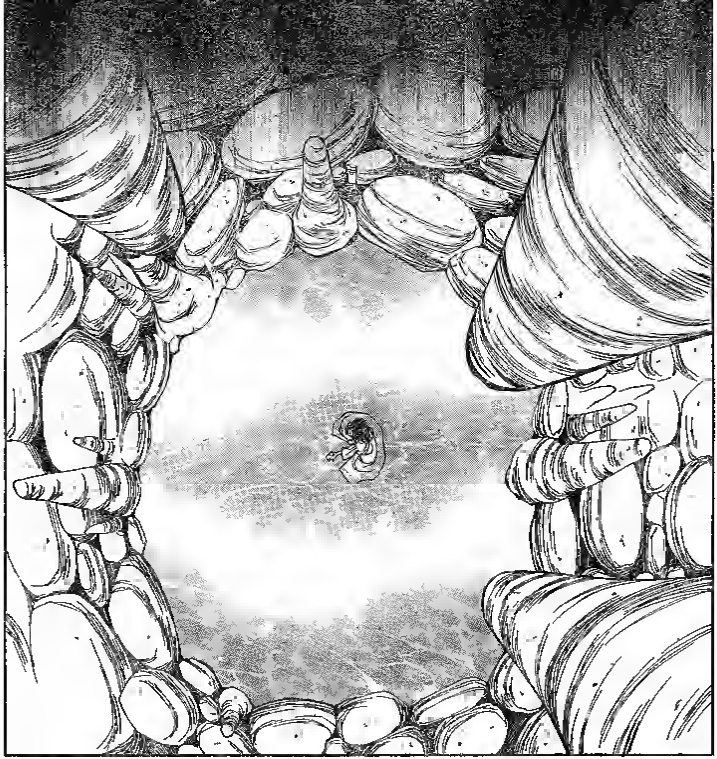
WHY IS YORIKO...!?
DO THESE GUYS EAT HUMANS...?
.....

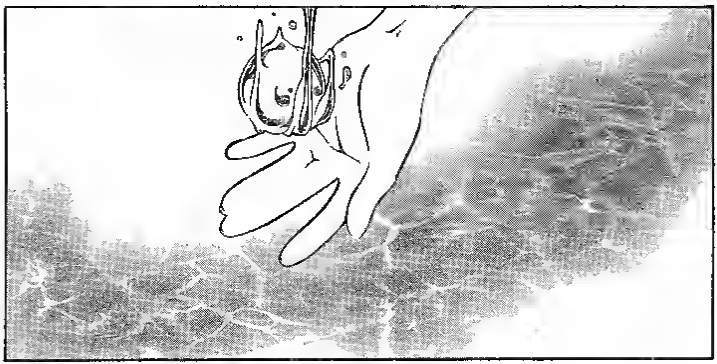
AHH, I SEE...
FURTHERMORE... THIS WAS THE MOST DELICIOUS THING I'VE HAD SINCE I CAME TO THIS COUNTRY.
YOUR BLOD WAS DELI-CIOUS.
.....
I'M ENJOY-ING THIS.
!?
WHAT KIND OF FLAVOR DO YOU HAVE?

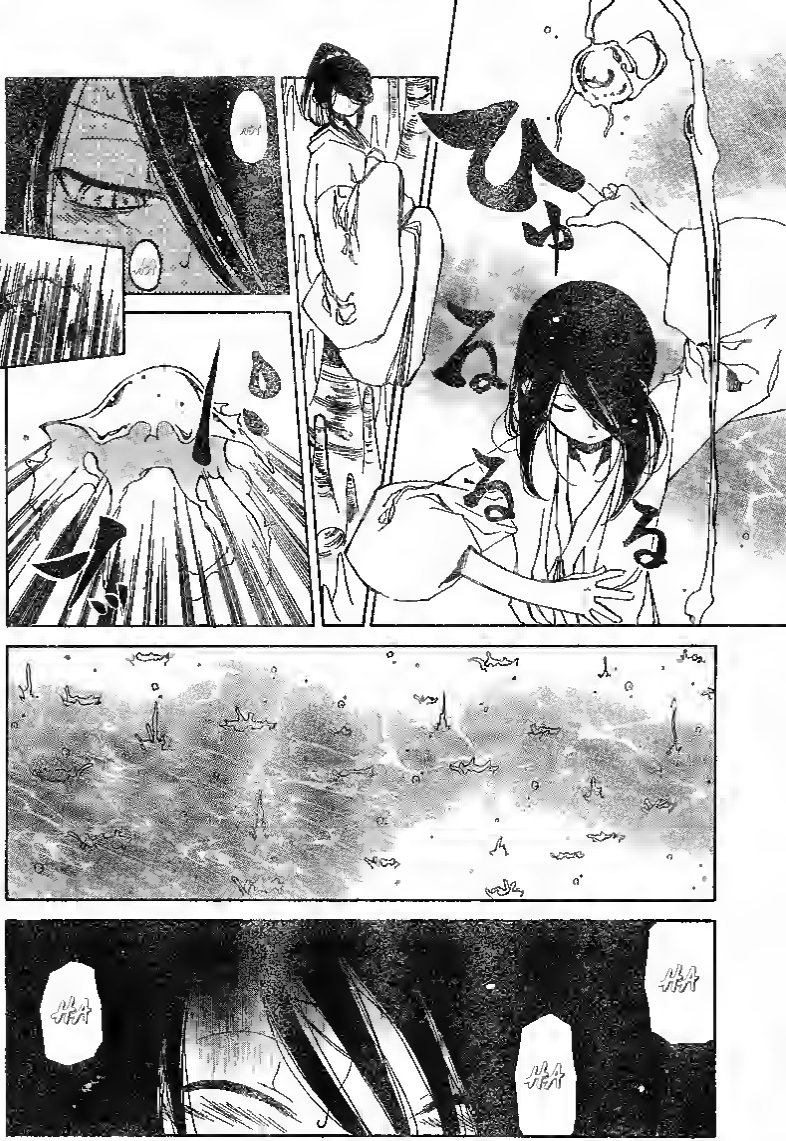

KORYUU-SAMA
WHAT IS THIS GUY...
DON'T MOVE, I CAN'T EAT YOU IF YOU DO.
...HUH?
I UNDER-STAND...
HUMANS, IS THAT SO, KORYUU-SAMA
HUMAN...?
YASHA... I LEAVE THESE TWO HUMAN KIDS IN YOUR HANDS
ANY PLACE THAT GUY TOUCHES DRIES UP... WHAT THE HELL IS HE...
UUUU
OKAY, BOTH OF THEM ARE STILL BREATHING... THE POOR THINGS.
FOR NOW, I'LL PLACE THEM UNDER THAT TREE.

ANYWAY...
IF THIS GUY TOUCHES ME...
I SHOULD BE FINE I JUST AVOID CONTACT...
WHAT WAS THAT JUST NOW? IT SNAPPED THROUGH THE AIR SO FAST I COULDN'T SEE IT.
ENOUGH... YOU'RE JUST RUNNING FROM PLACE TO PLACE.
HURRY UP AND LET ME EAT.
THERE'S SOMETHING DELICIOUS RIGHT BEFORE MY EYES.
MY STOMACH IS GROWLING...

I CAME FROM THE NORTH. I WAS EATING WHILE I WAS SEARCHING FOR A PLACE.
ONCE IN AWHILE, I WOULD FIND SOMETHING DELICIOUS, BUT...
IT'S MY FIRST TIME SEEING SOMEONE LIKE YOU.
IT WASN'T DELICIOUS...
THE VILLAGES UP NORTH ARE GETTING WIPED OUT ONE AFTER ANOTHER, AND THIS GUY IS THE SOURCE...? JUST ONE PERSON?
WHY CAN'T I GET RID OF THIS FEELING OF ANXIETY AND COERCION...
I COULDN'T FIGHT THIS PERSON WITHOUT GETTING HURT EVEN IF I WANTED TO...
WHAT IS THIS GUY... THE WATER IS GETTING BLACK AND IMPURE...
EVERYONE IN THE VILLAGE... AND KIRIN... I'LL KEEP THEM SAFE NO MATTER WHAT IT TAKES...



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AYA-HIME...
...HM?
I'M REALLY NII-SAN'S LITTLE SISTER, RIGHT...?
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THE DROP OF WATER ISN'T SUPPOSED TO MAKE A SOUND WHEN IT HITS THE SURFACE.
NII-SAN CAN DO IT LIKE HE'S PLAYING, AND YET, I CAN'T.
WHEN NII-SAN WAS MY AGE, HE WAS ALREADY THE VILLAGE'S CHIEF...
IS IT REALLY OKAY FOR ME TO ALWAYS BE DOING THIS CHILDISH TRAINING...?
WHEN WILL I CATCH UP TO NII-SAN!?
WHEN WILL I...
WHY HAVEN'T... I EVEN GROWN A HORN YET!?

AHH...
HMM... WELL...
A GIRL DOESN'T NEED SOMETHING LIKE THAT. ♪
I'M BEING SERIOUS!!!
BUT... I DON'T LIKE TALKING SERIOUSLY...
THIS IS A SERIOUS DISCUSSIO- WH-WHAT!?
WHA!?
NYA!?
NYAAAAAAAH!?

WAI-WHAT!?
STOP!?
SACHIE-SAN, RIGHT!? HOW MANY TIMES HAVE I TOLD YOU NOT TO DO THAT...!!
WHA~T? YOUR ASS LOOKED REALLY CUTE IN THE WATER, I WASN'T DOING ANYTHING BAD
YOU KNOW ONLY HUMANS HAVE SHIRIKO-DAMA!!
HIME-SAMA~ KIRIN IS AT THAT REBELLIOUS AGE~... ♪
OH MY, SACCHAN, YOU POOR THING... ♪
AHH, ENOUGH!!!
YOU TWO CAN JUST ACT LIKE IDIOTS!!
I'LL TRAIN BY MYSELF!!

Yaw
STOP IT!!?
!!?
...!
FUMU... KORYUU IS FIGHTING HARD...
...!!
♪ NOW NOW, THIS SACHIE-SAN WILL KEEP YOU COMPANY. ♡
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!!?
AH, THOSE TWO ARE HERE... o_o
IF THAT'S THE CASE, EVEN KORYUU...
THE OTHER ONE COULD BE THE TOPIC WE WERE DISCUSSING AT LAST MONTH'S ASSOCIATION MEETING...
I WONDER WHAT WILL HAPPEN...

HE~Y...
AS IT IS, I'M JUST BEING CHASED AROUND, I CAN'T WIN LIKE THIS...
WHAT SHOULD I DO ABOUT THIS. .
.....?
I'M TIRED OF THIS.
LET ME EAT ALREADY.
.....!?
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THE FLOWERS THAT WERE TOUCHED...!?

HAA...
WHA!?
YOU DEFENDED AGAINST IT, THAT'S AMAZING
TO SNATCH LIFE AWAY FROM LIVING THINGS...
I'M SURE I HEARD ABOUT A KIND OF AYAKASHI IN THE WEST THAT CAN DO THAT...
EH? ABOUT ME?
THAT'S RIGHT, IN THIS COUNTRY'S LANGUAGE IT WOULD BE...

SHINIGAMI...
WOULDN'T IT...?

INDEED...
HOWEVER...
FOR A SHINIGAMI TO USE THAT ABILITY WITHOUT DISCRIMINATION IS UNJUST, IT SHOULDN'T BE LIKE THAT...
YOU SHOULD JUST GO HOME AND SEE WHAT YOUR COMRADES HAVE TO SAY ABOUT THIS...
YOU'VE LOST YOUR WAY...

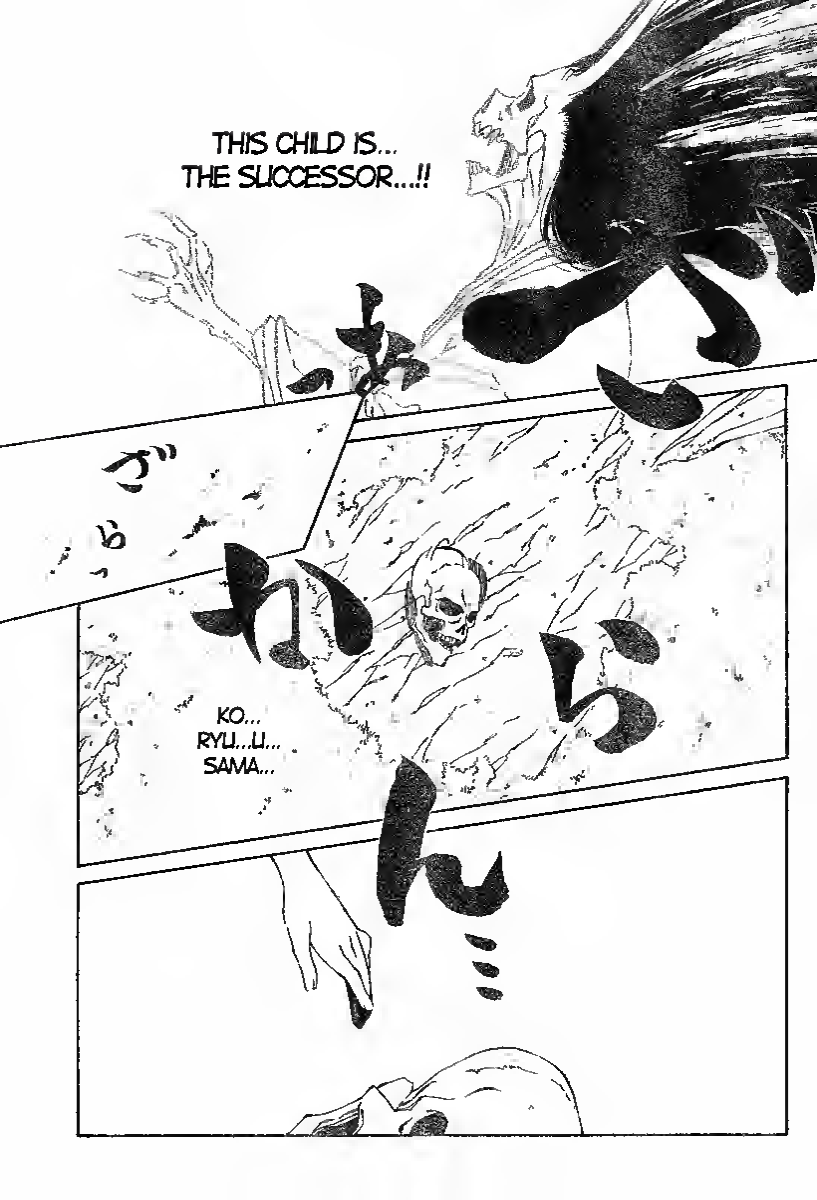
A BLACK CURTAIN...?
WAS THIS GUY SENT AHEAD TO SCOUT? OR...
I SAID THAT I CAME TO THIS COUNTRY TO FILL MY STOMACH WITH LOTS OF FOOD.
YOU GUYS DON'T UNDERSTAND
HEY.
SCREW UP SO I CAN EAT YOU.
YOU CAN'T EAT IF YOU DON'T WORK FOR IT.
IF YOU REALLY WANT TO, YOU HAVE TO HUNT.

...!?
WHAT...!?
THIS POWER IS!!

THIS IS AS FAR AS I'LL GO FOR NOW..
.....
EVEN SO, THAT GUY FROM BEFORE...
I HOPE KORYUU-SAMA WILL BE OKAY

OH, YOU'VE COME TO?
LITTLE GIRL, YOU'VE MET SOME SCARY THINGS...
...EH?
YOUR HAND... IT HEALED...!?

WHY IS THIS... THIS IS...
THIS CHILD IS...!
WHA...!?
THIS IS... THIS POWER IS...!?


THIS CHILD IS...
THE SUCCESSOR...!!
KO...
RYU...U...
SAMA...

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